It's A Fact
Automobile speed kings reach their height at ages from 25 to 29, according to an analysis.

THE SEDALIA DEMOCRAT

Section One

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Eighteen Pages

Thought For Today
If we have peace within ourselves, it is in vain to seek it from outward sources.—Rochefoucauld.

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British May Recognize Rebel Order

Britain And France Consider Move To Forestall Nazis

Franco Strikes At Valencia

Insurgents Begin Air Raids On Key Seaport

LONDON, Feb. 11 (AP)—British and French recognition of Generalissimo Francisco Franco's regime as the legal government of Spain apparently is the next move of the Democracies to sway the Spanish insurgents from Fascist and Nazi influence.

Informed quarters expressed belief tonight such recognition might be granted next week.

Britain and France, seeming now to accept Franco as the inevitable victor in Spain's long civil war, want to outbid Italy and Germany for his favor. They want a Spain free of Rome-Berlin influence because Spain lies athwart vital channels of commerce and empire for both.

London and Paris see signs already that Franco wants to deal with them despite the military aid he has received from Germany and Italy.

Would Furnish Capital

British and French capital for reconstruction in Spain would be the chief inducement to Franco to prevent Italy and Germany from gaining a permanent foothold on the Spanish peninsula.

The British market, long a vital one for Spain's exports, is another.

Financial circles here believe Franco must get foreign money from London because the economic situations and closed economic systems of the authoritarian states make the possibility of floating loans in Berlin or Rome highly problematical.

"Pound Diplomacy"

Thus British "pound diplomacy" is counted on to turn the scales against the dictators in Spain.

Two developments were seen here as indications to Reichsfuehrer Hitler and Premier Mussolini.

First, he accepted use of the British cruiser Devonshire for sending his emissary to the strategic island of Minorca to negotiate its surrender by the government to exclusively spanish forces.

Second, he agreed to keep Italian troops away from Catalonia's frontier with France when his armies routed the last government forces from northeast Spain and took up positions along the French-Spanish border.

Bomb Minorca

The bombing of Point Mahon,

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Masonic Group To Have Meeting

The thirty-sixth district Masonic Association, Ancient and Accepted Masons, will meet in Warrensburg Wednesday, with a number of Sedalians, who are in the association, attending. J. P. Hurtt, of this city, is D. D. G. G., and will preside over the program. W. E. Brown, of Sedalia, is president; J. D. Davis, Chilhowee, vice-president and J. D. Bradshaw, Leeton, secretary-treasurer.

The program will begin at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, a business session to be followed by a school of instruction in the degrees by Mr. Hurtt.

Dinner will be served by the ladies of the O. E. S., in the Market Street Methodist church, that city. The visiting ladies will be entertained at the residence of Mrs. Burton Richards.

Dr. J. E. Cannaday, of this city, will show the Alaskan pictures in colors, taken on his trip to Alaska last fall.

Agricultural Talk For Rotary Club Monday

The Sedalia Rotary club will meet at Hotel Bothwell at 12:10 o'clock Monday noon. E. E. Brasfield, district supervisor for the Farm Security Administration will speak on "Improved Basic Conditions in Agriculture."

Dr. L. S. Geiger is program chairman for the meeting.

Noozie

The Weather

Fair Sunday and Monday; warmer Sunday.

Lake of Ozarks Stage

Lake of Ozarks nine and three tenths feet below full reservoir.

Battle Over Singer's Child

NEW YORK, Feb. 11—(AP)—A court battle over the custody of 3-year-old Susan Eckstrom, newly-disclosed daughter of Marion Talley, operatic sensation of more than a decade ago, was complicated tonight by the assertion of Miss Talley's lawyer that her estranged husband was "dodging" subpoena-servers.

The attonrey, George Z. Ferris, of Harrison, N. Y., said detectives had trailed the husband, Adolf Eckstrom, her former singing teacher, for several months in a fruitless attempt to hale him into court.

"He's always been one jump ahead of us," Ferris said.

The disclosure that Miss Talley, the "American Nightingale" who made her Metropolitan debut in 1926 at the age of 17, was the mother of a child came yesterday when she opened her fight to regain custody of the child in the supreme court.

The singer said in her petition she had not seen the child since December, 1935, eight months after her daughter was born. She married Eckstrom secretly March 23, 1935.

In her suit, Miss Talley charged Eckstrom was a "man of immoral character" and "financially unable to give the child a suitable home."

Attorneys said Miss Talley had kept secret the birth of the child to avoid hampering her operatic, movie and radio career.

Miss Talley's attorney was granted an adjournment of the case until Wednesday pending renewed efforts to locate Eckstrom. He said Miss Talley, who was not present when her suit was filed, was "in seclusion" and could not be reached until Monday.

Dies In Auto And Bus Crash

Brother Of Mrs. A. L. Walter Is The Victim

The victim of a fatal motor car and bus collision north of Savannah Saturday afternoon was identified that night at Savannah as Charles Earl Halliday, aged 39, of Kansas City, a brother of Mrs. A. L. Walter of this city.

E. F. Searls, who was with Halliday at the time of the accident is in a critical condition in the Methodist hospital, St. Joseph.

Dr. and Mrs. Walter, and Mrs. Walter's mother, Mrs. Mina Halliday, of Hamburg, Iowa, spending the winter in Sedalia, will go to Savannah or St. Joseph, then on to Hamburg, Iowa, where funeral services will be held Monday.

Halliday leaves a twelve year old son, Earl, his mother, sister, and one brother, Ralph Halliday, of Hamburg, Iowa.

Identification of the body was made at Savannah by Ralph Halliday, the brother.

G. O. P. Women To Meet On Tuesday

The Pettis County G. O. P. Women will meet in regular session at 2:30 Tuesday afternoon, in the assembly room of the court house.

A patriotic program will be presented, as follows:

Vocal solo by Mrs. Christine Richards.

Eulogy of Abraham Lincoln by Walter Givens.

Two other numbers to be announced.

Community singing of patriotic songs led by Mrs. Helen Self.

A discussion of the various bills before congress and the state legislature.

Democrats To Try To Unite Their Forces

Meetings Are Called For Such A Move

First One Be On Monday Night

May Attempt To Revive The Old Liberal Bloc

WASHINGTON, Feb. 11 (AP)—Jittery over the showing of Republicans in the new Congress House Democrats have called two meetings for next week to see what can be done about consolidating their forces.

Republicans, still far outnumbered despite their gains at the polls last November, have been doing a better job of keeping their members on the House floor, particularly at times when important votes were coming up.

Democratic leaders have been worrying a bit about that. Consequently, they have arranged for a conference of all House Democrats Tuesday. Speaker Bankhead said it would not be a formal caucus and "we are just going to talk the situation over."

One factor disturbing the Democrats is the 159 to 122 vote by which the House decided to lop $17,203,000 from an appropriation for the Tennessee Valley Authority and halt part of its dam construction program.

Democrats who failed to show up for the vote could have reversed the result. In contrast to Democratic absences, Republican party supporters were handy all the time the bill was in the amendment stage.

Meeting Monday Night

The other Democratic meeting, scheduled Monday night, has some appearances of an attempt to revive the old House "Liberal Bloc" and inject transfusions of new blood.

Rep. Voorhis (D-Calif.) reserved the speakers' dining room in the capitol for the meeting, to which he and a dozen other Democrats were reported to have invited some two score of their colleagues.

One recipient of an invitation said only "New Dealers" were being asked and that the purpose of the parley seemed to be to take some preliminary steps toward setting up an informal organization to work for New Deal legislation.

Voorhis has been associated with the "young turks" in the House ever since he came to Congress. Liberals of all parties were included in that group. But Monday's meeting has been confined to Democrats.

Taken together, the two meetings were regarded by some political experts as an indication House Democrats, who have seen a relief bill and two other appropriations trimmed below the amounts recommended by the

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Parents Of Twin Sons

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Mettler, 1311 South Moniteau avenue, are parents of twin sons, born Saturday afternoon at the Bothwell hospital. The babies weighed 7¾ and 6 pounds respectively.

Young Democrats To Meet

A special meeting of the Pettis County Young Democrats club will be held in the court house at 7:30 o'clock Monday night.

Fay A. Bobbitt Shoots Himself

Fay Allen Bobbitt, 42, died of self-inflicted gunshot wounds Saturday morning at his home, 10 miles northwest of La Monte.

Dr. W. E. Walker, acting as coroner in place of Dr. Gordon Stauffacher, pronounced the death suicide. A .22 caliber automatic rifle was found fastened in a vise in the shed where the body was found. The trigger had been pulled with a piece of string.

Mrs. Belle Bobbitt, the deceased's mother, found him when she went to the shed to call him for dinner at 11:39 o'clock Saturday morning. She said she had not seen him since 10:30 that morning.

He is survived by his mother and a sister, Cora, of the home.

The body was taken to the Westbrook Funeral home at Houstonia. Funeral services will be conducted there at 2:30 o'clock Monday afternoon. Burial will be at the Mt. Zion cemetery. No other arrangements have been made.

No inquest will be held.

Be Campaign For Girl Scouts

Solicitation of Funds Will Start Monday

The Girl Scout Council of Sedalia will begin a drive for funds on Monday, February 13 to enable them to carry on the Girl Scout program during 1939. There has been no direct drive since September, 1937, and the council now faces the fact that it is not possible to carry on without funds.

A retrenchment in the program is not advisable in view of the fact that interest in Girl Scouting has reached so strong a point in the past year. The numbers have grown from 59 to 465 registered Girl Scouts, from six groups to thirty-five groups, and from seven volunteer adult leaders to sixty-three since 1936. The council maintains a year around camping program with activities at the Little House, an up to date office with a complete filing record of every one connected with Scouting. A club room for high school age girls where they meet for study and recreation. A day camp during the months of June and July with free swimming and handcraft, a weekly troop meeting for each scout under trained leadership, and an opportunity for all to join together in charity at the holiday seasons.

Through the help of Rotary, Kiwanis, B. P. W. C. and P. E. O. it has been possible for a large number of girls from the less privileged families to register and have the advantages of scouting.

The ideals of scouting are for girls of every strata of society, and money spent now to give these ideals to all girls of the city will mean money saved in the future in paying for juvenile crime. A check of statistics shows that no Girl Scout of Sedalia has a court record or has ever been sent to a correctional institution.

The ladies who are going out Monday on this scout financial campaign ask that they be given a friendly reception and a generous contribution as an investment in the young womanhood of our city.

A number of volunteer subscriptions have been received by the Girl Scout treasurer in the past week and these will appear in the paper at a later date.

City Asks Change Of Venue In Suit

The city of Sedalia late Friday afternoon asked, in a petition filed in circuit court, for a change of venue in its case pending against the bondsmen for T. E. Dugan, formerly city collector, in which the city asks for approximately $9,000 alleged embezzled by Dugan. The bondsmen are E. W. Dugan, George Dugan, Herbert Mason and Dr. C. A. McNeil.

The petition states that the plaintiff cannot get a fair and impartial trial in Pettis county because the defendants have an undue influence over the inhabitants of the county, that knowledge of this aforementioned circumstance first came to the plaintiff on February 9, and that as soon as possible thereafter they gave notice of the intention to ask for a change of venue.

The court has not passed on the application.

Bothwell Hospital Notes

Caroline Joan Wodicka, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. J. Wodicka, of the Dean Apartments underwent an operation for appendicitis.

E. L. Busker, 1203 West Main street, underwent an operation Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Jessie Wolf, of Kansas City, a patient at the hospital Thursday and Friday returned to her home Sunday.

Two Suits From Here Affirmed

Two suits recently tried in the Pettis county circuit court have been affirmed by the Kansas City Court of Appeals. One is that filed by J. H. Frederick and Gladys Frederick against Albert Tobaben, Metta Tobaben and Henry Tobaben, in which the plaintiff sued the defendants in ejectment alleging ownership, claiming right of possession of farm property and damages for alleged unlawful possession.

The circuit court of this county found for the plaintiff and the higher court upheld that decision.

The other suit was filed by John William Adair against the General American Life Insurance Company, a corporation, in which the plaintiff asked for insurance alleged due because of an accident in which part of his foot was cut off. He was a railroad employe at the time of the accident. The circuit court of this county held that the plaintiff failed to make out a case within the meaning of the policy, that his evidence showed the ankle joint itself was not dismembered, destroyed nor rendered stiff. The higher court also found for the defendant company.

Speedy Dash By Kelsey In A Test Flight

Crack Up As Plane Reaches Mitchel Field

WASHINGTON, Feb. 11 (AP)—The National Aeronautic Association announced tonight it had officially timed a cross-continental flight today by Lieut. Ben S. Kelsey, army test flier, at 7 hours, 45 minutes and 36 seconds.

Kelsey was injured in landing at Mitchel Field, Long Island, N. Y., after his plane, a new model twin-motor pursuit monoplane, hit a tree.

The association said he made the fastest flying time for a cross-country flight on record, but that his two stops made his elapsed time 17 minutes, 11 seconds slower than the record set by Howard Hughes in 1937. Kelsey's flying time was 7 hours and 36 seconds.

Kelsey's flying distance was estimated at 2,400 miles. The route followed by Hughes was 2,445 miles.

Kelsey's time was one hour, 20 minutes and 9 seconds faster than the fastest previous cross-country flight by a twin-engined ship the association said. The old record was set by D. W. Tomlinson, vice-president of Transcontinental and Western Air, Inc., on April 30, 1935, in a Douglas DC-1 transport. The time was 11 hours, 5 minutes and 45 seconds.

The association said the fastest previous cross-country flight in which stops were made was one of 10 hours, two minutes and 51 seconds by Roscoe Turner on Sept. 1, 1934.

NEW YORK, Feb. 11—(AP)—A new secret twin-motor army pursuit monoplane crashed into a tree on the edge of Long Island's Mitchel Field tonight at the end of a near record trans-continental test flight.

The pilot and sole occupant, Lieut. Ben S. Kelsey, crack test flier, was saved from serious injury by the plane's all-steel cabin.

Kelsey took off from March Field, Calif., at 8:12 a. m., (CST), stopped briefly at Amarillo, Tex., and Dayton, Ohio, and arrived here at 3:57 p. m. His elapsed time of 7 hours 45 minutes was only 16 minutes and 35 seconds longer than Howard Hughes' 1937 Burbank, Calif.-Newark, N. J., nonstop record.

When Kelsey arrived over the army field here he circled for a landing, going about 150 miles an hour.

He apparently overshot the field, observers said, and zoomed the motors to pick up speed and altitude. The right motor appeared to choke, sending him into a steep right turn.

As Kelsey cut the throttle again, the plane slipped down and sheared off the tops of some trees bordering the field, the undercarriage caught in a 35-foot tree, and the plane plunged down into a sand pit on a golf course.

Bystanders pulled Kelsey out of the wreckage. He was taken to a hospital with cuts on one eye and one hand, and suffering from shock. He was released after an examination.

Greetings To King

WASHINGTON, Feb. 11—(AP)—President Roosevelt today sent birthday greetings to Farouk I, King of Egypt.

Robert Ramsey Critically Ill

Robert Ramsey, 1100 South Ohio avenue, retired grocer, is critically ill at his home.

G. O. P. Orators In Attacks On The New Deal

Were Made At Dinners For Lincoln Day

Daniel A. Reed In St. Lous Speech

Party Leaders Of Missouri At Repast Held

(By Associated Press)

Republican speakers told the country last night it was adrift with a "broken down new deal party and a bewildered president."

The proper course, they suggested in speeches prepared for a national series of Lincoln birthday dinners, was to return their party to power in the 1940 election.

Because Lincoln's birthday anniversary fell on Sunday this year, the annual Republican observances were divided. Dinner and party rallies will be held in many other cities tomorrow night, notably at New York City where former President Herbert Hoover and John Hamilton, Republican national chairman, are to speak.

At last night's dinners the general keynote was a contention the administration's policies had failed at home and a questioning of its course in foreign affairs.

Sen. Styles Bridges of New Hampshire, speaking at an Akron, Ohio, rally, said the best description of "the economics of the Roosevelt administration" was given years ago by Abraham Lincoln:

"You are united in your determination to break with the past but you are utterly divided among yourselves as to where you are going.'"

Sen. Robert A. Taft of Ohio, in a Cincinnati speech, criticized the administration's spending policies.

"The present condition of the country is eloquent testimony of the complete fallacy of the theory that a people can spend itself into prosperity," he said.

Sen. Henry Cabot Lodge—grandson of the Massachusetts senator of two decades ago—said the names "conservative" and "liberal" could not be tagged to individual Republicans.

Addressing himself to a meeting at Boston, Lodge contended:

"Lincoln wanted to keep all that was old and good—which made him conservative; he wanted to adopt everything that was new and good—which made him liberal."

The Massachusetts senator also demanded that there be "publicity on the broad conduct of foreign policy."

"We realize that first of all we do not really know what is going on," he said. "American airplanes, we are told, are being sold to foreign governments. The United States Army and Navy, under this arrangement, has first call on American airplanes.

Tears Into New Deal

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 11 (AP)—Congressman Daniel A. Reed, Republican of New York, asserted in a Lincoln Day address tonight that "only the united fighting force of an aroused soverign people" can save the country from "national insolvency."

Speaking at the annual ban-

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Driver Overcome And Feet Frozen

Alfred B. O'Neill, 37 years old, a relief driver for the Hamm's Sales Co., operated by L. A. Spencer, of this city, was found unconscious in his transport truck about 1 o'clock Saturday afternoon near Farmington, Minn., and was rushed to the Community hospital in the Minnesota town.

O'Neill, it was said by physicians at the hospital, evidently had been overcome with carbon monoxide gas. His feet were also frozen, and his condition was reported to be critical. He was unconscious for more than an hour after being taken to the hospital.

Ludwig Indihar, Des Moines, Ia., noticing the parked truck, investigated and found the Sedalian.

State highway authorities of Minnesota said the standing truck evidently had been parked by O'Neill nearly twelve hours before, and it was believed O'Neill intended to take a nap and left the motor on the truck running to keep warm.

Saturday evening, Mrs. L. A. Spencer, when asked about the finding of O'Neill, said Mr. O'Neill was a relief driver between Des Moines, Ia., and St. Paul, Minn., and relieved Ralph Reed, also a Sedalian, who drives from Sedalia to Des Moines.

She notified Reed at Des Moines and sent him on to Farmington to be with O'Neill.

Reed and O'Neill reside at 110 East Sixth street in Sedalia.

Rescue 31 From Ship

Tanker Lightburne Runs Aground Off Block Island

BLOCK ISLAND, R. I., Feb. 11.—(AP)—Battling heavy seas in a surfboat, coast guards last night rescued 31 sailors from the oil tanker Lightburne three hours after that heavily-laden ship ran aground on this rocky island in a dense fog.

Called to the scene by an SOS at 6:46 p. m. (CST), the cutter active reached the vicinity of the stricken ship at 9:06 p. m. within a few minutes—after two daring trips in the surfboat—the sailors were safe aboard the Active.

The coast guard said Captain Wolman, of the Lightburne, chose to remain aboard his ship with two mates, the chief engineer and his radio operator.

At 9:57 p. m. (CST) the captain asked the steamer Thomas Tracy, first rescue vessel on the scene, to proceed as the cutter Active was standing by.

The Active radioed its headquarters in Boston the Lightburne was "laboring" but "not sinking."

"As lang as no excessive water, no danger. We will stand by until further notice," the Active messages.

The Lightburne, carrying 72,000 barrels of gasoline and kerosene, sailed from Port Arthur, Texas, Feb. 2 for Providence, where she was due tomorrow. She carried a crew of 36.

Earl Carr, keeper of the Block Island lighthouse, said the ship crashed on the rocks at 7:30 p. m. in a thick fog.

Captain Wolman, in calling for immediate help, messaged that the ship was being pounded and that she was leaking badly. Water flooded the engine room and the No. 4 main hold.

Much Warmer Saturday

The temperature was 6 degrees above zero at 1 o'clock Saturday morning, eight degrees above at 7 o'clock and at noon it registered 26 degrees above zero and 32 at 10 p. m.

Pontiff Lies In State At St. Peter's

First Of Nine Funeral Services To Be Held Today

Cardinals Swear Loyalty

Thousands Have Chance To Pay Their Homage

By RICHARD G. MASSOCK

VATICAN CITY, Feb. 11—(AP)—Pope Pius XI, a tiny figure in the vast, still basilica of St. Peter, the Apostle, lay in death tonight in the Chapel of the Sacrament, lighted by 24 candles and watched by four noble guards.

His body had been borne from the Sistine Chapel to St. Peter's with rich, medieval ceremony on the very day he had expected to address the Italian bishops on the 10th anniversary of the Lateran Accord, the pact between the church and Italian state which gave him the name "The Pope of the Conciliation."

The removal of his bier from the Sistine Chapel on the shoulders of eight attendants was made in a reverent and picturesque procession within the walls of the Vatican.

It followed the first general congregation of the Cardinals, the Princes of the Church, in preparation for the conclave which will elect the next pontiff.

Swear Loyalty

Thirty-one of the 62 Cardinals attended the session, held while prince and peasant were passing by the pontiff's body in the Sistine Chapel, and swore to observe the constitution which governs the period until a new Pope shall have been selected.

The conclave probably will be convened February 28, the last day by Pope Pius' own order on which it may be held, to give American and other foreign Cardinals time to reach the Vatican.

As the Cardinals met, the Italian bishops who had been summoned by the Pope to hear him speak on the anniversary of the Lateran Accord were given the contents of his intended address.

To Pay Homage

Thousands of the faithful tomorrow will have a chance to pay their homage to the pontiff in the basilica and to kiss his slippered foot.

The first of nine funeral services also will be held tomorrow in St. Peter's, where burial will take place Wednesday.

Several thousand persons visited the bier this morning in the Sistine chapel.

The chapel was opened to the public for five hours except for a brief period when Crown Prince Umberto and other Italian dignitaries went to pray beside the body.

Thousands of persons began collecting in the great St. Peter's square at midday in advance of the removal of the Pope's body to St. Peter's.

Crowd of 50,000

By the time the bells of the basilica began tolling at 3 p. m. (8 a. m. CST) as a sign the procession had started, an estimated 50,000 persons were crowded outside the gate.

Only a few hundred were able to glimpse the ceremony through gates and later through the basilica's doorway.

The only member of the Pope's family observed in the cortege was his nephew, Count Franco Ratti. The pontiff's grief-stricken sister, Donna Camilla Ratti, was not seen.

Most of the colorfully-clad churchmen and be-medalled laity who marched in the procession had planned to come to St. Peter's tomorrow to join with the Pope in celebrating the 17th anniversary of his coronation.

Anniversary Today

Hundreds of the faithful who thronged St. Peter's Square today, hoping to see the Pope in death, had expected to receive his blessing tomorrow from an outside balcony of the edifice.

The anniversary of the Lateran Accord passed without the world learning the contents of the important message Pius XI was to have delivered to the Italian bishops.

The bishops were reported to have been informed of what the pontiff intended to tell them, but kept the information secret.

Vatican authorities believed it unlikely the communication would be made public unless the next Pope ordered it.

It was explained the congregation of Cardinals normally would not sanction publication, lest it embarrass the policy of the new pontiff.

Message Uncertain

Ecclesiastical circles, however, expressed the belief the message dealt with the effect of the new Fascist racial laws on the church's

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"Rich Profits In Business To Men Who Boss It"

NEW YORK, Feb. 11 (AP)—The richest profits of American business go to the men who boss it—not to the thousands who own it or to the millions who keep it running—the Twentieth Century Fund reported today to the president's committee investigating monopoly.

With salaries "as much as $1,000 a day," a comparative handful of executives "on the whole, in good times and bad, xxx fare better than the wage earners or investors," the fund said in summarizing a four-year study.

The report was requested by U. S. Sen. Joseph C. O'Mahoney (D-Wyo.), chairman of the monopoly committee. It was based on data obtained from treasury department records and business. Some figures covered all of business; others were scientific "samplings" from hundreds of representative corporations.

Stockholders are far more numerous than "corporate officers" covered by the study, but income of the latter was almost half as great (42.2 per cent) as total dividend payments in 1931.

"As the depression deepened," the report continued, "the proportion (between executive salaries and stockholders income) rose to 53.5 per cent in 1932 and to 62.4 per cent in 1933."

At the depth of the depression, the study showed executive salaries totaled about $2,000,000,000.

The report said:

"These figures (the $2,000,000,000) do not include dividends on stock owned by officers, the total of which is unknown; nor do they include the profits which officers of companies may have made through speculation in the stock of their own companies."

The more pay the executive gets in comparison to divisions, the less successful the business is, as a general rule, it was pointed out.

Comparison Offered

When executive salaries were compared with wages and salaries of lesser employes, this was observed:

Executive pay rose 4.3 per cent from 1928 to 1929 and declined to 62 per cent of the 1928 level by 1933.

Wages and salaries rose 5.7 per cent from 1928 to 1929 and fell to 50.8 of the 1928 level by

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Pause Today In Honor Of The Memory Of Lincoln

By Kirke L. Simpson

WASHINGTON, Feb. 11 (AP)—A world aflame with challenge to that golden rule of Democracy—"government of the people, by the people and for the people"—confronts the nation as it pauses a moment tomorrow to honor the memory of the gaunt, war-weary American who uttered the phrase more than three-quarters of a century ago.

Abraham Lincoln, while the guns still thundered in the nation's bitterest hour, pledged its faith anew at Gettysburg that the principle of Americanism he re-proclaimed "shall not perish from the earth." That covenant will be renewed tomorrow in reverent observance of the 130th anniversary of his birth.

There is a message for listening ears in Europe and around the world in that observance.

It will tell them there is no disunity in America on the will to keep the faith that Lincoln pledged. The lesser uproar of dispute is but Democracy at work, hammering out its own economic and lethal weapons of defense on its chosen anvil of public opinion.

Never in the 74 years since Lincoln spoke them at Gettysburg has the solemn repetition of his words had so vital a meaning to his countrymen and to the world.

Turn back twenty years to another significant Lincoln's Birthday—Feb. 12, 1919. The war that was to have made the world "safe for Democracy" was over less than 90 days. National unity for war was quickly giving place to the political storms and stresses by which Democracy moves slowly, with reference to minority views, on its appointed way. The war was over, that Congress like its successor of today, 20 years later, was moved most of all, as it wrestled with post war reconstruction, by thoughts of a coming presidential election.

Issues Leftovers

Many of the political issues of today are leftovers of 20 years ago. America's role in a post war world was being argued heatedly in Congress just as her role in a war threatened world is being debated today.

A huge peace-time armament

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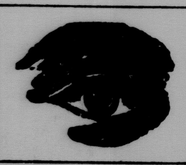

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It is for the legislature to decide whether it desires to ask the people to again decide a question which they have so recently and overwhelmingly expressed their will.

Consideration of the following facts should enable the members of the General Assembly and their respective constituents to reach a decision.

Comparison of conditions now and before the adoption of the Conservation Amendment:

SHALL WE ABOLISH THIS? NOW	SHALL WE RETURN TO THIS! THEN
A non-political, non-salaried commission of two Democrats and two Republicans; one farmer, one lawyer, one contractor and one publisher; authorized to make reasonable regulations.	A politically selected Fish and Game Commissioner with authority limited to the administration of laws passed by the Legislature.
A Director of broad technical training and experience in wildlife and its adminstraton.	A Commissioner without training or experience.
A staff of technicians trained in game and fish management, forestry, agriculture and with security of tenure.	No technically trained personnel, but amateurs, politically chosen and frequently changed.
An enforcement staff selected solely on merit without regard to politics and fully trained for service. All Missourians.	Game wardens chosen strictly for political reasons and never trained.
Scientific research by a staff of highly trained men, the cost of which is principally provided by agencies other than Conservation Commission.	Nothing
Game and fish management in charge of six highly trained experts stationed throughout the State; all but one, Missourians.	Nothing
A division of forestry administered by a chief and four assistants, all graduates of outstanding forestry schools; all Missourians.	Nothing
A public information service, distributing factual material to newspapers, groups and individuals; issuing a quarterly report of activities and working in the field of education, with special attention to farm youth.	A publicity director engaged principally in clipping newspapers and sending out predigested material.

Scope of Activities

Birds, fish, game, forestry and all wildlife resources.	Game and fish

Relation to Agriculture

From the minutes of the Conservation Commission: "The Conservation Commission recognizes and, within the limits of its authority and resources, will assist in the enforcement of the right for the landowners to determine who shall come upon their property for the purpose of taking any form of wildlife. This is a right that is guaranteed by the Constitution and is one which the Commission desires to respect."	Nothing
Game management areas established on 1238 farms.	Nothing
Program in operation to establish game management areas under technical supervision on land of every farmer in the state willing to accept the service.	Nothing
400,000 acres of privately owned land now under fire protection of Commission. 1,300,000 trees distributed to farmers for planting. Through government aid, offers to pay land owners up to $7.50 per acre for tree planting and compensation to land owners for growing food crops.	Nothing
The Commission furnishes to landowners, without cost, seed for crops to provide food for game.	Nothing
The Commission recently invited into conference, landowners, farm groups and farm agencies to receive their suggestions concerning revision of major regulatons.	Nothing

Outside Assistance

$20,000 being received this year from Federal Government for establishing game management areas on farmers' land, $66,000 expected next year. $20,000 being received from Forest Service to aid land owners in protecting timber.	Nothing
The Commission is receiving annually from the Federal Government and the University, twelve thousand dollars for research.	Nothing
2,600 acres of land for game management areas and sanctuaries donated to Commission.	Nothing
$100,000 in cash donated by Edward K. Love; income being used principally to encourage farm boys and girls to raise game.	Nothing

Public Relationships

12 conferences in as many places in the state held to receive suggestions of citizens, land owners, local officials and others concerning regulations. 10,000 individuals in the state cooperating in law enforcement and wildlife management.	Nothing
Cooperating wth the Commission: Soil Conservation Service, National Forestry Service, National Park Service, Agricultural Adjustment Administration, University of Missouri, Agricultural Extension Service, Bureau of Biological Survey, U. S. Bureau of Fisheries, State Highway Patrol, Missouri Academy of Science, Conservation Federation of Missouri, Missouri Audubon Society, State Planning Board, State Park Board, 4-H Clubs, Future Farmer Clubs, State Department of Education, Edward K. Love Wildlife Foundation, American Legion.	National Park Service, Biological Survey, Bureau of Fisheries.
Six states are now modeling their programs after Missouri's plan.	Nothing

Conservation Federation of Missouri

Everett Perry Improves

Everett R. Perry, who underwent an emergency operation last Saturday in Cape Girardeau, is improving nicely. Mr. Perry is the son of Mrs. Roy Perry, of 1220½ West Eleventh street.

The Detroit river sometimes is called the "Dardanelles of the World."

Observe P.T.A. Founders' Day

Program At Horace Mann School Friday

The observance of Founders' Day washeld at the regular meeting of Horace Mann P. T. A. Friday afternoon, with Mrs. J. C. McAnally president, presiding.

Miss Hazel Barnett read an impressive devotional service, "The Parent-Teacher Prayer." Miss Cassie Bolton and Miss Leata Alexander were ushers.

A brief business session was conducted at which time a nominating committee, Mrs. J. C. Goldsmith, Mrs. Leonard Hall and Miss Belle Steele, was appointed.

Miss Belle Steele, the principal and an active member since the organization of the unit gave an informative review of the organizing and growth through the years. She stated Horace Mann Parent-Teacher Association was organized February 18, 1916, with Mr. E. G. Bylander as president who served for three consecutive years, the only man president to have served. The past presidents and presiding presidents of other Sedalia units were introduced as guests of honor. Past presidents, Mrs. J. R. Bockelman, Mrs. B. C. Russell and Mrs. P. V. Scotten. Those from other schools were Mrs. M. E. Green, president, Smith-Cotton; Mrs. J. G. Johnson, president Whittier and Mrs. C. E. Eirls a patron. The following past presidents still residing in Sedalia but unable to attend are: Mrs. J. P. Hurtt, Mrs. A. Stevens, Mrs. J. D. Williams, Mrs. Phil R. Burford, and Mrs. C. E. Van Horn.

Under the direction of Mrs. C. D. Michael, Founders' Day chairman, a pageant, "Seven Lamps of Learning," was presented by the patrons. The ceremony was introduced by Mrs. J. C. McAnally, with a brief talk on Founders' Day in which the founding and development of the past forty-two years of National Parent-Teacher work was reviewed.

The stage was dimly lighted with old fashioned coal oil lamps and the characters were dressed in housecoats to make a costume representative of the period of 1897, the year when the Congress was founded.

The first reader, Miss Mary F. Staley and the second reader Mrs. C. D. Michael read the significance of each color of light as the candle-bearer placed her light on mounted steps which signified the "Seven Lamps of Learning." Candle-bearers were: Mrs. H. L. Herrick, truth; Mrs. L. B. Akin, obedience; Mrs. E. D. Marshall, memory; Mrs. W. F. Schwenk, aspiration; Mrs. J. S. Goldsmith, beauty; Mrs. G. E. Witte, power; Mrs. L. C. Hilton, imagination. The worker of yesterday, Mrs. J. R. Bockleman; the worker of today, Mrs. Leonard Hall.

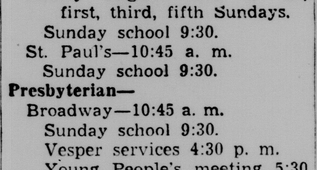
From behind the scenes the chorus of mother singers, sang softly, "Follow The Gleam." The mother singers were: Mrs. H. R. Hollar, Mrs. J. C. McAnally, Mrs. W. A. Woodson, Mrs. E. M. Kiethley, Miss Jessie Trueman, Miss Geraldine Teufel.

A candlelight tea followed with Mrs. J. R. Bockleman and Mrs. J. C. McAnally pouring. Mrs. F. E. Yockney social chairman and committee, Mrs. Paul A. Erickson, Mrs. Bert Robertson and Mrs. Bruce Gardner had decorated a betutiful table using the Founders' Day colors with floral centerpice of yellow and blue and blue candles. Cup cakes with yellow icing and tiny blue candles, were served.

A free will Founders' Day gift of $3.10 will be sent to the state treasurer. Half of the gift is given to the state by the National Congress to be used for extension work. This money helps to finance the organization of new units, to hold institutes and schools of instruction and in other ways to extend the work of Missouri. The other half is sent to the national treasurer by the state treasurer and is used for national field service and other extension work. Last year Missouri's gift was $1,561.65.

Church Services Today

Baptist—
Calvary—10:45 a. m.; 7:30 p. m.
Sunday school 9:30.
East Sedalia—10 a. m.; 8 p. m.
Sunday school 9:30.
First—10:35 a. m.; 7:30 p. m.
Sunday school 9:30.
Christian—
First—10:45 a. m.
Sunday school 9:30.
East Broadway—10:45 a. m.
Sunday school 9:30.
Christian Endeavor 6:30 p. m.
Episcopal—
Calvary—7:30 a. m. and 11 a. m.
Sunday school 10 a. m.
Evangelical—
Immanuel—10:30 a. m.
Sunday school 9:30.
Federated—
Federated—10:45 a. m.
Sunday school 9:30.
Lutheran—
Trinity English—10:45 a. m., first, third, fifth Sundays.
Sunday school 9:30.
St. Paul's—10:45 a. m.
Sunday school 9:30.
Presbyterian—
Broadway—10:45 a. m.
Sunday school 9:30.
Vesper services 4:30 p. m.
Young People's meeting 5:30 p. m.
Cumberland—7:30 p. m.
Sunday school 10 a. m.
Methodist—
First—10:45 a. m., 7:30 p. m.
Sunday school 9:30.
Fifth Street—10:30 a. m., 7:30 p. m.
Sunday school 9:30.
Epworth—10:30 a. m.; 7:30 p. m.
Sunday school 9:30.
Taylor Chapel (Negro)—11:00 a. m., 7:00 p. m.
Sunday school 9:30.
International Bible School—
Services 7:30 p. m.
Latter Day Saints—
Reorganized—11 a. m., 7:30 p. m.
Sunday school 9:45.
Christian Science—
First church—11:00 a. m.
Sunday school 9:30.
Catholic Churches—
Sacred Heart — Masses 6:00, 8, 9:15 and 10:30.
St. Patrick's—Masses 6:30; 8:00 and 10:00 a. m.



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Aged Negro Civil War Veteran Dies

Funeral services for Joseph Higgerson, 96-year-old Negro Civil war veteran, who died at his home, 408 West Pettis street, Friday afternoon, will be held Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Memorial Baptist church, with the Rev. Hunter officiating.

He was born in Boonville, December 23, 1842, and came to Sedalia about 25 years ago.

Mr. Higgerson was the father-in-law of Simpson Younger, also a Civil war veteran, who is believed to be the only negro Civil war veteran now living in this vicinity.

Surviving Mr. Higgerson are eight grandchildren, 12 great grandchildren, and two great great grandchildren.

The body was taken to the Ferguson Funeral home, and will be removed to the deceased's home at 10 o'clock this morning. Burial will be in Crown Hill cemetery.

Mrs. Strain Recovering

Mrs. J. W. Strain, 1320 South Brown avenue, is slowly recovering from a stroke she suffered Wednesday morning while sitting at the breakfast table. She is the wife of J. W. Strain, the tinner.

The printing and publishing industry ranks fifth in frequency and third in severity of accidents among thirty major industries.

England now regularly imports mutton from Iceland.

Farm Sells At Auction

A 71-acre farm, located north of Newland, was sold at a partition sale Saturday afternoon by Sheriff W. L. Marlin, to Uel Payne for $700. The farm was one involved in a partition suit filed by The Third National Bank as trustees of Daniel I. Wilcox, est, B. J. Minnier, Flora Elliott, Wynona Elliott, Laura Whiteman, Lillian E. Jared, Stella M. Lower, and Mary Millicent Duly versus James J. Donnelly.

Schedule Of County Nurse

Miss Elizabeth Guy, Pettis county nurse, will have the following schedule for the week:

Monday —Longwood and Hughesville.

Tuesday — Sedalia.

Wednesday — Staff conference Sedalia.

Thursday — Green Ridge school examinations.

Friday — Sedalia. Syphilis clinic at Salvation Army Temple.

Saturday — Educational clinic at Smith-Cotton school.

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They take other precautions to keep chicks from wandering and becoming chilled.

Common mistakes in the first few days of brooding have been listed as: over-heating, under-heating, fluctuating temperatures, over-crowding, lack of fresh air, drafts, insufficient feed and water space, lack of cleanliness.

Cleanliness is one of the major items in the raising of healthy chicks, and the lack of it causes a large number of the troubles. Cleanliness eliminates probability of disease germs and parasites, and protects the life and health of the fowl. Waterers should be washed and disinfected daily; feeders should be cleaned regularly. The litter should be changed as often as necessary, and should be kept dry, clean and free from dust or mould.

Brooder temperatures should be changed as often as necessary, and should be kept dry, clean and free from dust or mould.

Brooder temperatures should be kept uniform, changes from hot to cool are almost certain to cause trouble.

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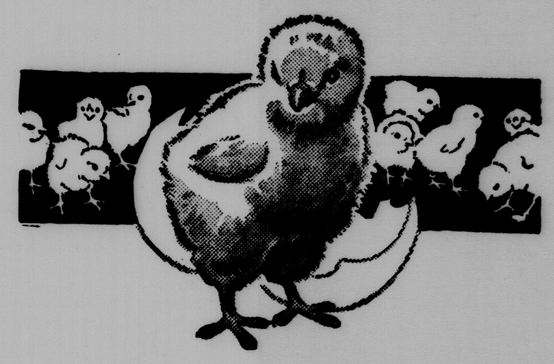

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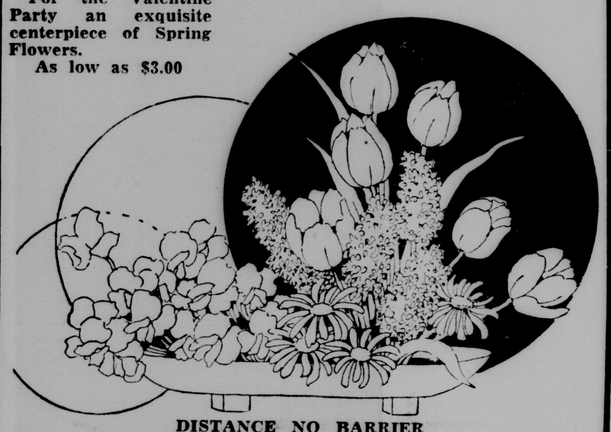

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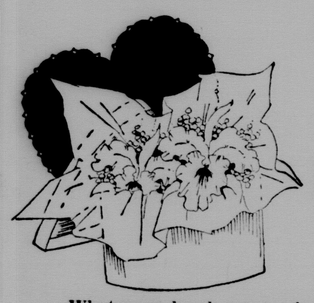

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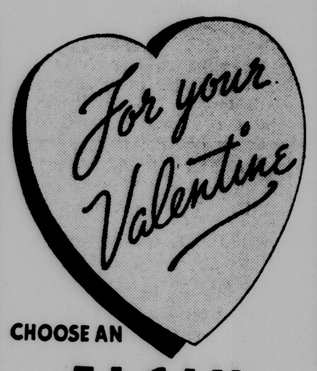

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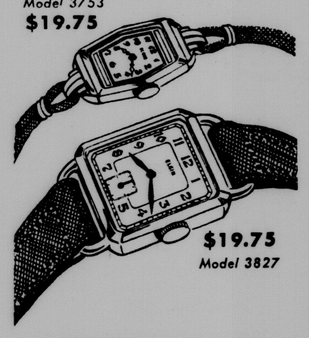

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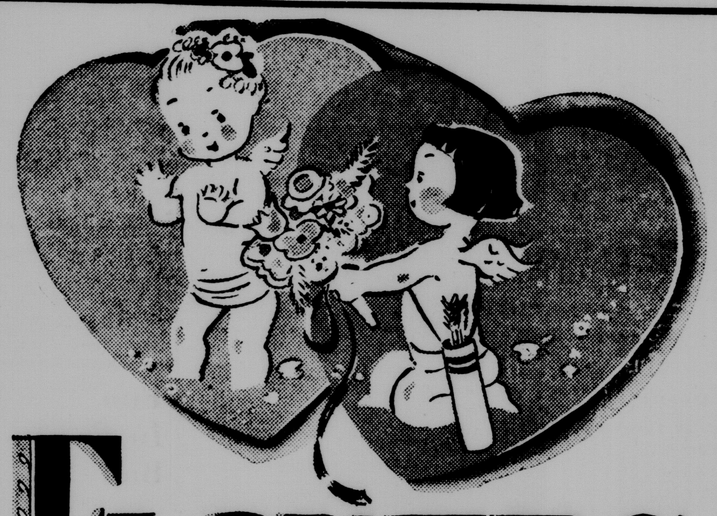

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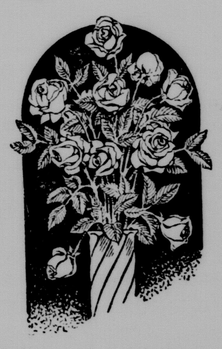

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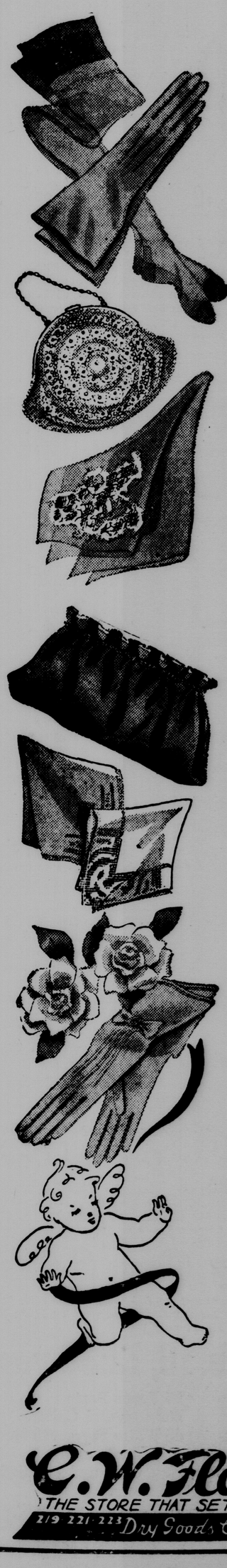

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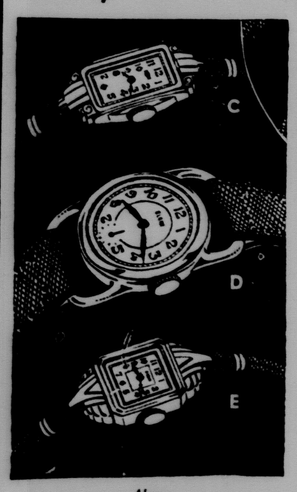

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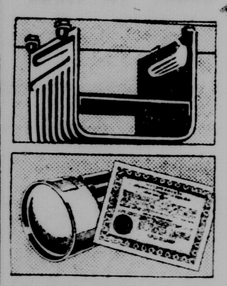

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Birthday Of Congress Of Parents And Teachers Be Observed

Mrs. Birney

Mrs. Hearst

On February seventeenth, the National Congress of Parents and Teachers will observe its 42nd birthday. On this occasion, members of parent-teacher units all over the land, pause to pay tribute to the co-founders of this great organization, Mrs. Alica McLellan Birney and Mrs. Phoebe Apperson Hearst.

The constantly changing and increasing membership of this organization makes the celebration of Founders' Day a wise provision else we might find that the purpose of the movement and the ideals of its founders have been forgotten in the doing of material things which are necessarily a part of our work; therefore in these Founders' Day observances, we strive to bring again to our members the sweet story of the inception of this great movement and to take advantage of this golden opportunity to inform others of our ideals, aims, objectives and growth. We also make a gift of money which is used to carry the messages of greater usefulness into other communities.

On Monday evening, February 13, the Sedalia Council of Parents and Teachers will observe Founders' Day by presenting a play "The Lighted Torch" at the Smith-Cotton high school. Mrs. N. F. Bockelman is general chairman of the program and will present a Mothersingers and a Fathersingers chorus in connection with the play. An invitation is extended to the public to attend this program.

The various parent-teacher units will hold their respective observances of Founders' Day on the following dates; Horace Mann on Friday afternoon, February 10; Washington, Broadway, Jefferson and Mark Twain on the afternoon of February 17 and Whittier that evening.

A full-course dinner on a Pan-American Clipper is about 200 miles long. That is, it takes about an hour and a quarter to serve and eat the meal.

Fokker has built a new seaplane. The ship has a top speed of 161.4 miles an hour, cruises at 135, and has a ceiling of 19,325 feet.

Special Mass In Tribute To Pope

In keeping with Catholic churches all over the world, there will be a requiem high mass at Sacred Heart church Wednesday morning, the day on which the funeral services will be held in Rome for Pope Pius XI, who passed away Thursday night. The school children will receive Holy Communion at this mass.

There will be services each morning in memory of the Pope, and tolling of the church bell after the Angelus three times each day.

The members of the Holy Name Society will receive Communion this morning, and after the service will be served breakfast in the school hall by the members of the Altar Society. Father Lionel Pire, a missionary in the city, will be a special guest.

John Joseph McGrath will tell of the influence of the Popes during the ages, concluding with some interesting facts on the life of Pope Pius. Claude Boul will speak on the Holy Name Society.

John S. McGaw will preside over the program and the election of officers which will conclude the breakfast meeting.

District Meet For The K. Of C.

(By K. of C. Reporter)

On Monday evening at Knights of Columbus Hall a district meeting will be held, at which the officers and some of the members from the councils in the surrounding territory will be present. An effort will also be made to have a large attendance of local members.

The occasion will be the inauguration of the nation-wide movement called the Crusade for Christian Justice. The Knights of Columbus have long been preparing a program designed to be effective against those subversive influences which have worked such lamentable havoc in Europe, and threaten similar disorders in the United States. The order intends to come out into open conflict with Communism, irreligion, unclean literature. The forces of evil are banded together now as never before to wreck our Christian civilization. They have attained no mean measure of success. To prevent further success it is necessary that all well-disposed people combine against the common enemy. The success with which false propaganda in the recent past misled innumerable people with regard to the situation in Spain, is evidence of what may be done by careful dissemination of half-truths and falsehoods. Surprising was the number of people made to believe the Red government of Spain was struggling to preserve democracy, and that General Franco is a Fascist and using inhuman tactics. This is only one instance of the manner in which the devil is masquerading in the disguise of a Saint.

State Deputy Thomas A. Langen will be here, accompanied by a national representative who comes for the purpose of explaining the objectives of the program for the crusade.

The record of the airlines during the years of 1935, 1936, 1937 and 1938 show that there are fewer accidents and fewer passenger fatalities during the winter months than during the other months of the year.

A New MacDonald—A New Eddy—Together For The First Time In Modern Dress—In Technicolor

Nelson Eddy and Jeanette MacDonald in a scene from "Sweethearts"

A new Jeanette MacDonald and Nelson Eddy and a new warmth, color and comedy spirit in musicals makes itself manifest in "Sweethearts," fifth co-starring musical of the famous singing team, which opens a five day run today at the Liberty Theatre.

Technicolor has given both singers a more vivid personality, while the up-to-the-minute story devised for them by Dorothy Parker and Alan Campbell from the Victor Herbert operetta provides the stars with comedy characterizations which should win them legions of new followers.

In "Sweethearts" Miss MacDonald and Eddy portray two Broadway musical comedy stars who are husband and wife in private life. Their quarrels, temperamental outbursts and jealousies, together with their joint attempt to outwit a producer who wants to prevent them from accepting an offer from Hollywood, make for a comedy which is rich in laughter and at the same time replete with beautiful and original song and dance presentations.

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• Sunday School Lesson

Peter Heals a Lame Man

Text: Acts 3:1-10; 4:8-12

By WILLIAM E. GILROY, D. D.
Editor of Advance

"Peter and John were going up into the temple at the hour of prayer." The temple in a sense was the center of the religion and was the chief religious symbol of those who had crucified their Lord. How often, when someone in the church has mistreated an individual or done something out of harmony with the profession of religion, the individual wronged refuses to have anything more to do with the church!

How much more sensible was the attitude of Peter and John! The temple was still their temple. It was the place where Jesus had gone when He was in Jerusalem. In spite of those who practiced their religion unworthily, it was still a sacred place to them as Jews, and they did not allow the evil-doing of others to affect their attitude of faith and worship.

It is not this, however, with which our lesson deals, though it is by no means an unimportant thought. Here at the door of the temple, called the Gate Beautiful, was a lame man unable to walk whom kind hands carried and laid daily at the door that he might ask for alms of those who were entering. As Peter and John approached, the lame man asked for their charity. Peter bade him look earnestly at himself and John. The lame man was all agog, appreciating the interest and expecting some gift.

But Peter, who had neither silver nor gold to give him, gave him something better. With faith in his Master he commanded the lame man, in the name of Jesus, to rise up and walk.

We cannot explain the miracle or it would be no miracle. Let us leave the mystery just where it stands and seize upon the fact of the lame man's recovery, deriving what plain teaching we may derive for our own conduct and life today from the incident.

We may not be able to perform miracles, but we could do some very wonderful things if we all had the spirit of Peter and John and the readiness to give and act that these men had. Most of us cannot say, with Peter, that we have neither silver nor gold. We may not have much; most of us have some. If we were willing to use it for the Master's service, how much good we could undoubtedly accomplish!

Think of the healing that has been made possible with our knowledge of the laws of medicine and surgery where money has established hospitals and clinics! How much more could be done if those who have the gold and silver were willing to do all in their power to help their fellowmen in the same spirit that Peter and John were willing to give all that they had!

Far more important than discussing the question of the miraculous is this clear perception of what we can all do under the power of God if His grace moves us to acts of mercy and goodness.

Parent Education Class Met

The Parent Education class of Jefferson school gathered at the home of Mrs. L. L. Anthony, 215 East Saline, Friday afternoon, with thirteen members and two visitors present. The meeting was called to order by Mrs. C. Shepard. Mrs. Wilbur Estes read the devotional. The topic, "Whose Quarrels Are These," was very ably discussed by Miss Catherine Garman. The March meeting will meet with Mrs. Morris, 201 East Walnut.

Mrs. Anthony was assisted in serving refreshments by Mrs. Gus Gehlken and Mrs. Harry Sullivan.

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Dr. Roy M. Keller

The University of Missouri has a medical course and a recent statement I read said that it cost the state over $6,000 for every medical graduate. All chiropractic and osteopathic schools are self-supporting.

Our chiropractic schools in Missouri now have about 150 students in attendance. Suppose we dumped these all on state supported schools it would cost the taxpayers $1,000,000. Why should taxpayers pay for graduating medical doctors when all others pay their own way?

Senate Bill No. 29, which the medical profession has introduced in the legislature would prevent these 150 present graduates from getting a license, with a loss of three years of their time and money, unless they took further instructions for a year or two in medical topics to pass these examinations from the medical viewpoint. This would be wasted time because they could not use the information from the medical viewpoint after they got it, because the chiropractic law prevents. Write Senator Charles Ewen, Jefferson City, Mo., if you are opposed to such a law.

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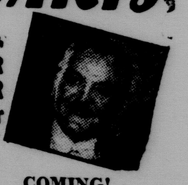
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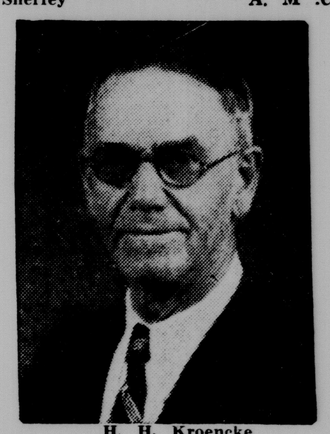

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Engagement Miss Frances Wagner Is Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wagner, 1617 West Third street, announce the engagement of their daughter, Frances Anthony, to Mr. John E. Showalter, Jr., son of Mr. John Showalter of Marshall.

The wedding will take place in March.

Miss Frances L. Stanley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Stanley, became the bride of Mr. Joseph Dale McGregor, of Little Rock, Ark., son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McGregor of Cotton Plant, Ark., at a pretty wedding ceremony at the Stanley home, 820 West Broadway, at 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon. The single ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. R. W. Leazer, pastor of the First Baptist church, in the presence of a number of relatives and close friends.

Preceding the ceremony Miss Margaret Clagett, of this city, who is here for the week end from Stephens college, Columbia, played "Liebestrom" on the violin Mrs. A. R. Beach, accompanied by Mrs. Alpheus Fischer of Kansas City on the piano and Miss Claggett on the violin, sang "The Sweetest Story Ever Told." The wedding march was by Mrs. Fisher, who played "Believe Me If All Those Endearing Young Charms," during the ceremony.

Miss Stanley's matron of honor was Mrs. Joe Fleming, of Rogers, Ark., and the bridegroom's attendant was his father. Little Bobbie Bruce Stanley, nephew of the bride, carried the ring, and little Natalie Hoffman was flower girl. The candles on the improvised altar were lighted by Miss June Banzhof, Little Rock, and Miss Marjorie Claycomb. Miss Mary Schrankler was in charge of the bride's book and Miss Dorothy Suter assisted in receiving guests.

The bride's dress was of pink moire taffeta and her matron of honor wore blue moire taffeta.

The bride carried a colonial bouquet of lilies of the valley and bride's roses. Mrs. Fischer's bouquet was a colonial one of talisman roses.

One side of the living room, before which the couple stood when being married, was banked with palms and the windows outlined with huckleberry foliage. There were two large white candles and two large aisle baskets of vari-colored flowers. Pink and white bouquets were on the mantel, and other flowers throughout the room.

The flowers and candles in the dining room were white, with smilax around the cake in the center of the table. Eucharis Amazonica lilies and white tapers were on the table, and a large bouquet of snapdragons and buddleia on the buffet.

At the reception following the ceremony Mrs. Lawrence Barnett was in charge of the dining room, assisted by Mrs. Lisle Morseman, of St. Louis, Mrs. Robert Stanley, Kansas City, and Miss Betty Mae Barnett.

Miss Stanley, reared in Sedalia, is a graduate of Smith-Cotton high school, Stephens College, Columbia, and the University of Missouri. She is a member of Delta Delta Delta and Sigma Iota Chi sororities. For the past five years she has been with the University of Arkansas College of Agriculture. Since 1935 she has made her home in Little Rock where she has been employed by the University of Arkansas as assistant state agricultural editor.

Mr. McGregor is a graduate of the University of Arkansas and is a member of Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity. He is assistant extension agronomist with the University of Arkansas college of agriculture.

Out of town guests attending the wedding were: Miss Sybil Bates, Miss June Barzhaf, Miss Helen Leidy, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Woodfin, Little Rock, Ark., Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McGregor, Cotton Plant, Ark., Mr. and Mrs. Lisle Morseman, St. Louis, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Fischer, Kansas City, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stanley and son, Bobbie, Kansas City, Mrs. G. W. McVey, Parsons, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Gaffey, Parsons, Kas., Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fleming, Rogers, Ark.

Miss Jane Collins and Miss Dorothy Jane Kroencke will be hostesses this morning at a 10 o'clock breakfast at the former's home, 823 West Fifth street, in honor of Mrs. Charles J. Goodknight, who before her marriage last Sunday was Miss Virginia O'Bannon.

The breakfast will be served at three tables each decorated with bowls of roses. The hostesses and guests have joined in presenting a wedding gift of twin end table lamps to the bride.

Guests at the breakfast will be Mrs. Goodknight, her sister, Miss Martha O'Bannon, Mrs. Everett Edwards, of Warrensburg, Mrs. Harlan Croley, Mrs. Ernest Simrad, Mrs. Fred Van Arsdale, Mrs. Roy Wilmarth, Mrs. Fred Lange, and Misses Jane and Dee Hausam, Joan Riley, Mary McElroy, Mary Catherine Redmond, Frances Grinsted, Dorothy Bricken, Mary Louise McLaughlin and Elizabeth Hanley.

Miss Kroencke and Miss Collins will be assisted in entertaining by the former's mother, Mrs. Leonard Kroencke and Miss Collins' grandmother, Mrs. Fred Phipps.

Miss Ruth E. Payne and J. Gregory Staples, Miss Ruby E. Hieronymus and Thomas M. Kirkpatrick were married at a double wedding ceremony, January 21, at the home of the Rev. Thomas E. Prall, pastor of the M. E. church, South at Linn Creek, Mo.

Miss Payne, now Mrs. Staples, wore a teal blue dinner dress with a quilted jacket. Miss Hieronymus, now Mrs. Kirkpatrick, wore a shirtwaist dinner dress, the blouse of white satin with a blue skirt. The bride's shoulder bouquets were of American Beauty rosebuds and lilies of the valley.

Mrs. Staples is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Payne, 209 West Sixth street. Mr. Staples is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Staples of LaMonte. They will reside at 316 Walnut, Jefferson City. The bridegroom is employed as a salesman for the Shyrack-Hirst Grocery company there.

Mrs. Kirkpatrick, primary teacher in LaMonte, is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hieronymus of Houstonia. Mr. Kirkpatrick is a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Kirkpatrick of LaMonte. They will reside in LaMonte where Mr. Kirkpatrick is employed as salesman for the Reavis Ford Motor company.

Miss Florence Hert entertained members of the faculty of Broadway school at a party Friday night at her home, 615 West Third street.

The games of Liverpool rummy and Chinese checkers were played during the evening, with awards in the former being received by Miss Mary Helen Meyers, of Mark Twain school, a special guest, and Miss Mary Roberts.

In Chinese checkers, the favors were received by Miss Lida Burress, principal of Broadway school and Miss Anna Connor.

Refreshments were in the Valentine colors of red and white. Miss Hert was assisted in entertaining by her mother, Mrs. W. B. Hert. Another special guest was Miss Mallie Burress, sister of Miss Lida Burress.

Mrs. Richard A. Park, 112 East Tenth street, was hostess Saturday afternoon at a bridge party, in honor of her sister, Miss Beverly Moore, of Poplar Bluff, Ark., who has been visiting here for a number of weeks.

High honor in the bridge game was received by Mrs. Harvey L. Keens, and the consolation award by Mrs. John Z. Montgomery.

Other guests were Miss Virginia Wilkerson, Mrs. James Keens, Mrs. Leon Archias, Jr., Mrs. Fred Lange, Mrs. N. T. Dunlap and Miss Moore.

Mrs. Park carried out a Mexican motif in the decorations and refreshments.

Mrs. R. E. Paul, of Route 6, was hostess at a miscellaneous shower at Flat Creek Inn Tuesday afternoon honoring Mrs. Paul Tharp, formerly Miss Laura Ann Riley, a recent bride. The St. Valentine motif was carried out.

Little Marilyn Miller, as Dan Cupid, carrying a bow and arrow and Loretta Miller, as a Valentine entered pulling a decorated wagon in red and white, laden with presents. A shower of rice fell from a wedding bell suspended over the bride. Many beautiful and useful presents were received.

Refreshments of Valentine ice cream, cake and mints were served.

The guests were: Mrs. Chas. Riley, Mrs. C. C. Gentry, Mrs. O. B. Dix, Mrs. Garnett Bryan, Mrs. Earl Holdner, Mrs. John Paul, Mrs. Geo. Paul, Mrs. Frank Farris, Mrs. Edward Bates, Mrs. Bertha Bates, Mrs. Henry Shafer, Mrs. Chas. Shafer, Mrs. Harry Colvin, Mrs. W. J. Paul, Mrs. James Paul, Mrs. J. L. Imhauser, Mrs. Frank Meier, Mrs. Bob Duffield, Mrs. Ed Whitmire, Mrs. Leonard Anderson, Mrs. Walter Dittmer, Mrs. Howard Russell, Mrs. Ed Miller, Mrs. Aug. Mittelhauser, Mrs. C. V. Huddleston, Mrs. Wm. Cranfill, Mrs. Mary Campbell, Mrs. Bryan Shoemaker, Mrs. Jim Green, Mrs. C. E. Tharp, Miss Imogene Paul, Miss Harriet Aylett, Shirley and Dixie Lee Bryan and Mrs. R. E. Paul.

A miscelloneous shower was given Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Lydia Wagner, in honor of Mrs. A. A. Jens, who before her marriage January 30, was Miss Mary Cerny. Mrs. Jens was the recipient of many pretty gifts.

The evening was enjoyed playing "bunco." At a late hour refreshments were served to the following guests: Mrs. Jens, Miss Anna Cerny, Mrs. Tom Cerny, Mrs. Minnie Allcorn, Mrs. Bessie Yowell, Mrs. Thelma Colvin, Mrs. Laura Haynes, Mrs. Elva Keyworth, Mrs. June Wahrenbrock, Mrs. Ruth Antes, Mrs. Margaret Swift, Miss Edna Mahnken, Mrs. Maurine Page.

Miss Wagner was assisted by her mother and Mrs. Haynes in serving.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Wilks, 116 East Broadway, have as their week end guests their sons, Lonnie Wilks, of New York City, Richard Wilks, wife and little daughter, Nancy, of Kansas City.

Lonnie Wilks flew into Kansas City from New York, arriving there Saturday noon, then motored with his brother and family to Sedalia.

All members of the Helen G. Steele Music club chorus are asked to attend the practice Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Heard Memorial club house.

The Beulah Yancey Music club will meet Monday night at the home of Miss Mary Jane Scott, 1022 West Seventh street.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Henderson entertained the following at dinner Friday night, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Watterson, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Russell, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Hert and daughter, Miss Margaret, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Henderson.

The Past Noble Grands of Loyal Rebekah lodge No. 260 met in regular session Friday at the home of Mrs. Emma Miller, 1302 East Ninth street.

A luncheon to which all contributed was sreved at the noon hour. Places were laid for fourteen. There was a social hour after the business meeting.

The next meeting will be held March 10 at the home of Mrs. Grace Roe, 1315 South Lamine avenue.

Norma Lee Kindred entertained members of her class at Broadway school, with a Valentine party at her home, on Friday, February 10.

The honor guest was "Bill" Middleton, who leaves next week to reside in Wichita, Kansas. The evening was spent singing, playing games and dancing. The color scheme of red and white was carried out in the refreshments.

Guests were—Virginia Lindstrom, Betty Jean Truitt, Allieen Snider, Betty Rowe, Evelyn Beach, Helen Russell, Marion Wade, Mildred Gould, Norma Lee Kindred, Billy Glenn, Frank Coffman, Lee Peabody, Billy Middleton, Bobby Shelton, Marshall Marr, Wilbur Vantine, Bobby Mathews and Donald Lamm.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Robertson, of route one, are entertaining at dinner today the following guests: Misses Frances Elder, Genevieve Norris, Marian Clardy, Margaret Castleman, Juanita Biery and Helen Robertson, all of Jefferson City and Miss Robin Robertson and Miss Mildred Kraay of Kansas City; Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Little of Columbia; Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Herrick, Miss Marjorie Morgan, Miss Virginia Herrick, Winston Ream and Harry Farris, all of Sedalia. Miss Helen and Robin Robertson and Mrs. Nelson Little are daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Robertson.

Pupils of Miss Martha Redmond met at her studio Friday night at 7:30 for another in a series of monthly recitals. The following program was presented:

"Etude Joyeuse," (Terry), Corinne Baum.

"Humoreske," (Dvorak-Cracker), Genevieve Sullivan.

"Marketing," (Benson), Doris Clifford.

"My Own," (McHugh); "Two Guitars," (Armour), Patty Prewitt.

"Cotton Pickers," (Martin), Ruth Ann Yonker.

"Dance of the Fairies," (Anthony); "Piano Practice," (Thompson), Gwendolyn Kearn.

"Big Grizzly," (Miles), Virginia Lee Kessler.

"The Dancing Lesson," "Roller Skating," (Thompson), Eva Ann McNeel.

"See Saw," (Williams), Paula Jean Pressler.

"Clicking Castanets," (M. Williams), Virginia Lee Sharpe.

"Uncle Remus," (Grant-Schaefer), Eva Ann McNeel.

"Gathering of the Pixies," (Stairs), Betty Jean Brasch.

"Spanish Dance," (Merz), Dorothy Maxwell.

"Valse Bluette," (Drigo); "Fireflies," (Grant-Schaefer), Dorothy Edwards.

The Fortnightly Book club will meet at 2:15 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, February 14, at the home of Mrs. Sid Condict, 421 West Seventh street.

Friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Launwell, 320 North Stewart for a friendly and social day which was spent in music and conversation.

At the noon hour a bountiful dinner was served cafeteria style each of the following contributing to the repast: Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Cruzan, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Meyer, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ficken, son Billy and daughter, Joan, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Satorious, daughter Janet, Mesdames Bertha Clifford and daughter, Kathleen, Dessie Williams and daughter, Shirley, Gertrude Bryant, Marie Gault, W. F. Bottcher, Maggie Logan, Anna Logan, Lola Hamby, Martha Garrett, Clattie Ditzfield, Eva Schumacher, Nannie Taylor, Selma Rennison, Ruby Barnes, Opal Moon, Arlene Pasley, Misses Martha Taylor, Sarah Stratton, Singleton Ray and Mr. and Mrs. Launwell.

Sorosis Topics To Be On Youth

Mrs. Leon Archias, Jr., Mrs. J. C. English and Mrs. J. C. Connor will be the speakers on a topical "Youth" program at Sorosis Monday afternoon at the Heard Memorial club house.

The program is being presented by the Civics department, of which Mrs. Gilbert V. Jones is chairman.

Mrs. Archias' topic will be "The Youth Hostel Movement," now being widely discussed. Mrs. English will speak on "Today's Opportunities for Youth," while Mrs. Connor's subject will be "Recent Legislation Affecting Youth."

Glass Display By Members Garden Circle

Mrs. Ed Callis and Mrs. Ed Whitmire won first places in the glass display of Garden club circle No. 4 Friday afternoon. Mrs. Callis showed a collection of modern glassware and Mrs. Whitmire a display of antique ware.

Mrs. Fred Keuck and Mrs. C. F. Scotten took second and third places in the modern division and Mrs. Walter Brill and Mrs. C. F. Scotten second and third in the antique section.

The display was held at the club's regular meeting at the home of Mrs. George Lively, 1017 South Barrett avenue. Mrs. Finis Nicholas and Mrs. Ada Davis judged the displays.

Mrs. C. F. Scotten presented an article on blown glass as part of the afternoon's program. Other papers were read by Mrs. O. W. Bagby on "City Beautification" and Mrs. Ed Callis on "Rose Planting." Miss Helen Music gave a reading.

Mrs. R. J. Hausam was installed as a new member.

Visitors at the meeting were Miss Helen Music, Mrs. Finis Nicholas, Mrs. R. G. Curnutt, Mrs. J. B. Poundstone, Mrs. Clarence Carter, Mrs. R. R. Highleyman and Miss Margaret LaBahn.

Mrs. O. W. Bagby and Mrs. Herbert Donahue assisted Mrs. Lively in entertaining.

Mrs. E. A. Heerman was hostess to Garden club circle No. 6 at her home, 1108 South Sneed avenue, Friday. Assistant hostesses were Mrs. T. E. Gasperson and Mrs. W. A. Harbaugh.

After a dessert luncheon the guest speaker, Mrs. F. K. Shaffer spoke on civic beautification, using the history of the Sixteenth street planting as her subject. Her topic was of especial interest to circle six because that group had not yet been organized at the time of the landscaping of the boulevard.

After Mrs. Shaffer's talk, a short business session was held, followed by a display of clear and colored glass containers. Mrs. Shaffer and Mrs. P. E. Pierce acted as judges, with the awards going to Mrs. Arthur McGowan, Mrs. Frank Meier, Mrs. Harbaugh and Mrs. L. J. May.

One new member, Mrs. J. W. Almquist, was added to the roll.

At the conclusion of the meeting, Mrs. A. R. Beach, vocalist, gave a solo, "Grasses and Roses."

The March meeting will be at the home of Mrs. H. H. Deal, with Mrs. R. E. Gerster and Mrs. Otto Decker assisting.

Garden circle number three will meet at the home of Mrs. Ada Davis, 1609 South Moniteau avenue on Friday, February 17. Assisting hostesses will be Mrs. T. E. Donaldson and Mrs. Thomas Yount. Dr. J. E. Cannaday will give a talk on "Beautification of the Entrances to Sedalia," and Mrs. Arthur Halter will tell about "Beautification of the Highways in St. Francois County."

Wed Monday

Mrs. Anna Goss and Will Meyer, both of near Spring Fork, were married Monday morning by the Rev. Father Bauer at St. John's Catholic church, Bahner.

Attendants were Mr. and Mrs. Leo Staus.

A dinner and reception followed the wedding, at the Goss home and Monday evening friends of the couple gathered at the Meyer home for a charivari.

Wednesday evening relatives of Mr. Meyer from Sedalia and Stokley were guests at their home.

The couple will reside on a farm north of Spring Fork.

Music Program Before White Oak P. T. A.

The White Oak P.T.A. met in regular session Monday night, with the business meeting presided over by the president, Mrs. C. A. Moon.

The following program was presented: Violin solo, John Wagenknecht, February birthday and P.T.A. song, by the school; piano solo, Mrs. Mildred Wagenknecht; recitations, Junior Moon and C. W. Jett; solo, Lynn Wagenknecht; recitation, Dema Skidmore; piano solo, Mrs. M. O. Green.

During the social hour following the program, refreshments were served.

Marriage Licenses Issued

Russell Arnold and Virgie Reno, both of La Monte.

Russell D. Darby and Minnie Lee Steele, both of Moberly.

Glenn West, Racine, Wis., and Leona Frahm, Laclede, Mo.

Principals in McGregor-Stanley Wedding

Left to right, Mrs. Joe Fleming, Rogers, Ark., matron of honor, Mrs. Joseph Dale McGregor (nee Miss Frances Stanley) Mr. McGregor, the bridegroom's best man, his father, J. D. McGregor, of Cotton Plant, Ark. In front, little Natalie Hoffman, flower girl and Bobbie Bruce Stanley, ring bearer.

Entertain For Bride

Miss Jane Collins (left) and Miss Dorothy Jane Kroencke (right) who will entertain with a breakfast this morning for Mrs. Charles Goodnight, who before her marriage a week ago was Miss Virginia O'Bannon.

Mrs. Jack Stark

Before her marriage last Tuesday she was Miss Jeanne Constance Robinson, daughter of Mrs. Ethel Robinson and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Robinson. Her marriage to Mr. Stark, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Stark, of Moberly, took place in Lee's Summit.

Mrs. Rolev Stephens

The former Miss Mildred Sutherland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George L. Sutherland, 1315 East Thirteenth street, who was married to Mr. Stephens of Kansas City, last Sunday, by the Rev. Ralph Emerson Hurd, at the parsonage of the Epworth M. E. church.

Participants In Double Wedding

Mrs. J. G. Staples nee Miss Ruth E. Payne

J. G. Staples

Mrs. Thomas Kirkpatrick nee Miss Ruby E. Hieronymus

Thomas M. Kirkpatrick

Church Events

The Mothers' club of the M. E. church, South, will meet at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. C. English, 315 West Fourth street, with Mrs. E. S. Stockton and Mrs. B. G. Oakes assisting hostess.

The Loyal Daughters of the Federated church will meet at 7:30 o'clock Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Grace Young, 610 South Kentucky avenue. Miss Nettie Lamm will be assisting hostess.

The Young Ladies' club of the Federated church will present Miss Mabel DeWitt, talented pianist, in a recital in the church auditorium, Sixth street and Osage avenue, at 8 o'clock Friday night.

Miss DeWitt will be assisted on the program by Burney Morriss, baritone, and Miss Margaret Love, violinist.

The program promises to be a musical treat for Sedalians and the public is invited.

The program to be presented follows:

Sonata — Op 27, No. 1 —Beethoven. Andante, Allegro. Allegro molto e vivace, Adagio con espressione, Allegro vivace, Miss DeWitt.

Il Lacherato Spirito from "Simon Baccanegro," — Verdi; When The King Went Forth To War — Koennaman; Tally Ho — Rogers, Mr. Morriss (Miss Bockelman accompanist).

The Fountain of Acqua Poola — Griffes; Tango Americain —Carpenter, Miss DeWitt.

La Gitana — Kreisler; None But the Lonely Heart — Eschaikowski; Guitars — Mowskokski, Miss Love (Miss Lillian Fox accompanist).

Ballade Op. 23 — Chopin, Miss DeWitt.

Circle No. 4 of the W. M. U. of the First Baptist church held a very enthusiastic session on Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. H. Farley, 1424 South Carr avenue, with a good attendance.

The chairman, Mrs. A. H. Edwards, presided and gave the devotional.

The regular routine of business prevailed, being followed by the study course of a very interesting home mission book entitled, "Tepee Trails," by G. Lee Phelbs.

The first chapter was ably given by Mrs. O. B. Poundstone.

Mrs. H. G. Triplett is the circle missionary chairman. The meeting adjourned until the March meeting to be held with Mrs. Hilton Parker, 1624 South Barnett.

The McWilliams' circle of the First Baptist church held its monthly meeting Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Martin Harrelson 1408 South Carr, with seventeen members present. Mrs. A. C. Bell was assisting hostess and Mrs. Ray the circle chairman was in charge. All business was transacted and reports were heard from the various officers After the meeting a social hour was enjoyed during which refreshments were served.

"Rich Profits In Business To Men Who Boss It"

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1933.

Considering this along with other indices, the report concluded:

"In bad times total salary payments to officers are 'stickier' than wages and dividends. They go down more slowly and less far. In good times they go up faster and farther.

"Chief officers of leading corporations took more severe cuts in pay than the average reductions in wage rates. Wage earners and other employes, on the other hand, suffered a larger reduction in total income because of the severe unemployment at the depth of the depression."

The business study neither condoned nor condemned the high salaries. It did say, however, it considered some increase in the ratio between executive salaries and wage-dividend totals "to be expected" in bad times because "key" officials are essential to industrial operation whether production is high or low.

The report did not enumerate the executives who are paid "as much as $1,000 a day," only noting that figure as "a maximum." "Nearly one-third" get less than $25,000 and some got as little as $2,000 a year.

"As might be expected, salaries vary with the size of the corporation," the report said. "In 1932, for example, the average head of a concern with assets of $1,000,000 to $5,000,000 received $21,000, while the head of a company with assets of over $50,000,000 was paid an average of $82,000.

"The rise was steady, all along the line, but the top average was less than four times as high as the bottom, although the size of the corporation increased more than fifty times."

Bankers proved to be less highly paid than is commonly imagined.

The top men in "financial corporations" received between $55,000 and $79,000 in 1934 and 1935. Trade and service companies paid their chiefs over $300,000 a year.

The fund told the monopoly committee it was unable to answer the question it had been studying for four years—whether small business is better or worse than big business merely because of its size. It recommended:

"Until we know much more than we do now about the effects of big business, penalties—legislative or otherwise—should not be placed upon business merely because of its size unless clearly justified by the evidence.

"The converse of this is also sound. Subsidies or other favors based on small size are, we believe, unwise in the present state of our knowledge."

The report urged particular attention to two phases of the problem:

What does big business offer the consumer that smaller business does not offer?

What does big business offer labor that smaller business does not offer?

Ralph E. Flanders is chairman of the committee which directed the fund's research.

Pontiff Lies In State At St. Peter's

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rights in matrimony under the Concordat.

Before his death, Pope Pius criticized the laws as "wounding" the Concordat.

Everywhere one heard it was too early to speculate as to who might be the next Pope.

Often repeated was the old Roman adage: "Who enters the conclave a Pope leaves it a Cardinel" (meaning a strong candidate before the conclave usually fails to be elected.)

Spokesmen of the hierarchy today twice expressed the hope a Pope would be chosen who could guide the church and the world to peaceful relations in a time of trouble.

Archbishop Nicola Monterisi of Salerno, who addressed the Cardinals in the name of the Italian bishops, expressed the hope "the Lord, as always, will provide for the church according to the needs of the times and especially that peace which is His divine desire."

The dean of the Sacred College, Januarius Cardinal Granito Pignatelli Di Belmonte, asked the bishops to pray "that the Lord would give the church a man who would know how to guide with a wise hand the mystic ship of Peter, especially in these grave times."

U. S. Prelates To Rome

NEW YORK, Feb. 11—(AP)—Two of the three United States Cardinals were on the high seas tonight bound for Rome and participation in the solemn ceremonies attendant upon the selection of a successor to the late Pope Pius XI.

George Cardinal Mundelein of Chicago boarded the Italian liner Rex about 30 minutes before sailing time after a whirlwind journey from Florida, where he was on vacation.

Dennis Cardinal Dougherty of Philadelphia motored to New York, and went to his cabin in the Rex immediately upon his arrival.

William Cardinal O'Connell of Boston is aboard the Cunard liner Britannic, which is scheduled to arrive Monday from Nassau, the Bahamas.

He has booked passage Wednesday on the Italian liner Saturnia. The Saturnia is due to reach Gibraltar at noon, February 26, the same day the Neptunia, bearing South American Cardinals, arrives there.

• Personals

Raymond F. Helms, of Kansas City, arrived Thursday for a two days' visit with his mother, Mrs. Fannie Helms, of 914 South Vermont avenue.

Mrs. Lillie Stephenson, of 2207 South Kentucky, has returned home from a visit of several weeks in Texas.

England spends $5,000,000 on sweets every week.

• Obituaries

Mrs. Zella D. Berrey

Mrs. Zella D. Berrey, 61, years old, former resident of Sedalia, passed away at her home 1635 Summit avenue, Kansas City, Friday, according to information received in Sedalia by relatives and friends. She was the mother of Carl D. Berrey of 1710 South Moniteau, this city.

Surviving her is her husband, J. A. Berrey of the home, two sons, Thomas Berrey, of the home and Carl Berrey of Sedalia, two daughters, Mrs. Leta Toyne and Miss Vernie Berrey of the family home.

Also surviving is her mother, Mrs. Belda Powell, of Madison, Mo., three brothers, Walter and William Powell, of Madison and Claude Powell, of Kansas City, one sister, Mrs. Myrtle Atty of Madison.

Mrs. Berry and family resided in Sedalia for nearly nine years before moving to Kansas City from Sedalia eleven years ago.

Funeral services will be conducted Monday afternoon.

Mike Westermier

Mike Westermier, a well known Pettis countian, died Saturday morning at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Scruggs, 301 East Fifth street.

Mr. Westermier was born in Germany August 16, 1855, and came to America at the age of 28 years. He was married in 1884 to Miss Victoria Foerg, and they lived on a farm near Bahner until 1920, when they moved to Sedalia. Mrs. Westermier died January 17, 1924.

Mr. Westermier leaves one son, John Westermier, who lives on the home farm near Bahner, one brother, Paul Westermier, of Norman, Okla., eleven grandchildren. He has been preceded in death by four sons,, Brother Andrew Westermier, Collegeville, Ind., Joe Westermier, Groom, Texas, Henry Westermier, Sedalia, and Frank Westermier, Marshall.

He was a member of the Bahner Catholic church Holy Name Society.

Funeral services will be held at Sacred Heart church, Sedalia, at 9:30 o'clock Tuesday morning. Father Christian Daniel to officiate. Interment will be in Calvary cemetery.

The body will be at McLaughlin's chapel until Sunday noon when it will be moved to the home at Bahner, four miles east of the Spring Fork store. The Holy Name Society of Bahner will recite the Rosary at the home at 8 o'clock Monday evening.

Charles Butler

Charles Butler, father of Harry Butler, janitor at the Pettis county court house, passed away at his home near Cole Camp Thursday evening.

Surviving him besides his son in Sedalia is a son, Don Butler, of the home; a daughter-in-law, Mrs. R. A. Butler, of 1507 South Stewart avenue; three sisters, Mrs. Alex Gordon of Otis Orchard, Wash.; Mrs. Eva Van Wey and Mrs. Sadie Russhead, of Neff City, Kas., and thirteen grandchildren.

His son, R. A. Butler, passed away on August 30.

Funeral services will be held at 9 o'clock Monday morning, at the St. Peters and Paul Catholic church in Cole Camp, with the Reverend Father Hans, pastor, officiating.

Interment will be in the Stover cemetery.

Funeral of William Hull

Funeral services for William Hull, whose death occurred in Kansas City at the home of his son, P. H. Hull, were held at the Syracuse Baptist church at 1 o'clock Saturday afternoon, the Rev. E. L. Pinkerton, pastor of the Independence Avenue Baptist church at Kansas City, officiating.

Syracuse was the former home of Mr. Hull and numerous relatives and friends attended the last rites.

Floral tributes were numerous and of exceptional beauty.

Pallbearers were J. D. Parsons, J. R. Ellis, Lewis Burford, Thomas Bridges, James Reardon and James Anthony.

Interment was in Syracuse cemetery.

Eli Terry, on of New England's first watchmakers, would fashion a few dozen by hand, hang them on the saddle of his horse, and fare forth to sell them.

• Lodges

Sedalia Chapter No. 57 O. E. S. will meet in regular session Tuesday evening, Feb. 14 at 7:30 o'clock. Visiting members welcome "Degreers."

Lucille White, W. M.
Mary Highleyman, Sec.

Sedalia Lodge No. 236 A. F. & A. M. will meet in special communication, Monday, Feb. 13th at 7:30 p. m. for examination in the Fellowcraft degree and work in the Master Mason degree. All Master Masons invited.

J. E.Smith, W. M.
W. J. Kennedy, Sec'y.

G. O. P. Orators In Attacks On The New Deal

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quet sponsored by the Missouri Association of Republicans, Reed tore into the New Deal, charging the national administration "hangs like a cloud over the people of the nation."

Under it "there can be no confidence on the part of investors," he said.

Hundreds of party leaders and workers throughout the state, including many legislators from Jefferson City and a number of former state officials, gathered here for the banquet, which climaxed a two-day program.

Elected President

Harry Smith, Farmington Lawyer, was elected president of the association, succeeding William Buder of St. Louis. David A. Dyer, St. Charles, was named treasurer, a post long regarded as a stepping stone to the presidency. Mrs. Eileen Cofer, Buffalo, was re-elected secretary, and twenty-six vice-presidents—a man and woman from each congressional district, were chosen.

The organization by resolution changed its name from the Missouri Association of Young Republicans.

After a lengthy afternoon meeting, the Young Republican Federation of Missouri decided not to merge with the Missouri Association of Republicans, and elected Randolph Weber of Poplar Bluff as president.

The Rev. Cliff Titus, former state senator from Joplin, was elected president of the Republican Service Men's League, and another former state senator, Marvel H. Davis of Kansas City, was named counsel of the organization.

Appointment of Paul Page, Lebanon, as state director of publicity for the party was announced by Barak T. Mattingly, state chairman.

Improvement Club Holds Meeting

The Junior Mutual Improvement Club of Green Ridge, held its monthly business meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Dowdy Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Louis Paige was in charge of the business and a book review entitled "Song of the Years," by Bess Streeter Aldrich, was given by Mrs. Paige.

The concluding number of the program was a contest of making valentine booklets. The first award went to Miss Mildred Gover, and second to Miss Marjan Murphy. During the meeting Miss Gover was welcomed as a new member.

Miss Mary Kathryn Dowdy, hostess of the club, was assisted by her mother in serving a dessert course to the following members: Misses Mary McCampbell, Anna Lou Pace, Lucile Carter and May Bell Close.

Guests were Mrs. Elvis Anderson and daughter, Patricia; Misses Mary Vance, Florence Holbert, Julia Killpatrick, Thelma Lancaster, Mildred Gover, Gale Kendrick, Marian Murphy, Zelma Louise Spickard and Earline Kendrick.

• Smithton

(By Mrs. R. R. Lujin)

H. S. Ramseyer made a business trip to Kansas City Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Bremer, Mrs. Ruby Mynatt and daughter, Cynthia Lou, left Wednesday for an extensive trip through the southern states. They will visit in New Orleans and points in Florida.

Mrs. Mayme Selken spent the weekend in Kansas City with her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Selken.

Miss Pearl Ruth, of Bunceton, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Bremer.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hall were Kansas City visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Ellison and daughters, Martha and Hattie, visited Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Meredith, of Gravois Mill. Mrs. Meredith, who has been in failing health, is gradually growing weaker.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Bluhm had as dinner guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Weir and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stuart and family, of Sedalia, and Miss Lucille Steelman, of Smithton.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Boucher, of Dodge City, Kas., arrived Monday for a visit with his sisters, Mrs. Will Cook, Mrs. Earl Albers and Miss Etta Boucher and other relatives.

Wallace Cole fell from the hay loft at the Herman Schobohm home and dislocated his left wrist. He has not been able to attend school for several days.

Mrs. Lizzie Bohon invited a number of friends to her home Saturday afternoon to help Miss Mollie Lujin celebrate her seventy-fifth birthday anniversary. Miss Lujin has been confined to her home for some time because of ill health. The invited guests were Mesdames L. M. Monsees, John L. Monsees, Henry Lugen, Louis Lujin and Bettina Weiffenbach. Refreshments were served during the afternoon. Miss Lujin received many nice gifts including an immense angel food cake beautifully decorated, from her nephew and niece, Billie and Kalo Monsees and father, L. M. Monsees, motored to Columbia Tenn., to attend a meeting of jack and jennie breeders. They plan to be gone a week.

The M. E. Sunday school board

Epworth League Institute Held

Rev. Rudolph Friedrich, director of religious education at the Linwood Methodist Episcopal church in Kansas City, was the principal speaker at a banquet which opened the Sedalia subdistrict mid-winter Epworth League institute, Friday night at the First Methodist church, Fourth street and Osage avenue.

After the banquet, which began at 6:30 o'clock, courses in Epworth League and religious training were started and continued through Saturday and sessions will also be held today.

Rev. L. M. Starkey, of the M. E. church, South, presiding elder of the Sedalia Methodist district, spoke to the students in the assembly on the proposed union of the three branches of the Methodist church.

About 60 persons attended the institute, representing leagues from Pilot Grove, Stover, Eldon, Epworth Methodist church, the First Methodist church and the Goodwill chapel of Sedalia.

Dr. Quincy R. Wright is dean of the school, and Miss Mary Peabody, president of the First Methodist church league, is acting as hostess.

Other ministers participating in the institute are Rev. William McNeil, Tipton; Rev. P. J. Allwell, Sedalia; Rev. J. E. Murphy, Eldon; Rev. E. I. LaRue, Smithton and Dr. A. A. Halter of Sedalia.

Stephens College Alumni Tea Wednesday

The Stephens College Alumni Club is inviting the prospective college senior girls of Smith-Cotton high school, and their mothers to a tea at the home of Mrs. A. R. Beach, 1302 South Ohio, on Wednesday afternoon, at 4 o'clock.

A representative from the college will be present to show a set of slides to the guests.

During 1937, armaments cost the whole world a total of $12,000,000,000, as compared to $4,285,714,000 in 1914.

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Democrats To Try To Unite Their Forces

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administration, have a well-founded respect for the power of the Republicans when they team up with conservative Democrats.

Both Senate and House were in recess today, but Senate committees were busy. One group pursued its study of President Roosevelt's recommendation for reciprocal taxation of federal and state salaries and the income from all government securities.

Another continued hearings on the proposal by 17 Senators that the present farm program be scrapped in favor of government price-fixing for major crops.

Ronnie Morton At Store

Ronnie Morton, who has been suffering from an attack of appendicitis, is able to be back at his place of business, the Morton Grocery store.

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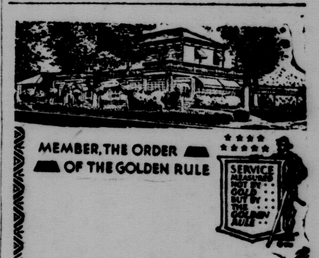

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Smith-Cotton Splits Games With Rival Conference Teams

Hannibal Drubs Local Team 43-14

Kirksville Falls Before Tigers 24 to 14 Friday

The worst beating the Smith-Cotton Tigers ever has been given was that of Saturday night when the team-clicking Hannibal quintet sailed through with a 43 to 14 victory. It was a hard defeat for the Sedalia Tigers after taking the Kirksville Tigers to a cleaning last Friday night, by a 24 to 14 score on the home court.

The Tigers trailed the Hannibal five at the end of the half, 21 to 5. The home team appeared to be plenty sluggish against the tall visitors who fired at ease at the basket, making a big percentage of the shots attempted.

Fohey of the visitors forward department, fired in twenty-six of the 41 points of his team while Connie Michaelis of the Sedalia forward department, came through with high points of seven.

Plenty of team work was exhibited by the attacking visitors, ball tossing from one player to another was done with the greatest of ease and seldom did Hannibal lose the sphere through an attack by the Tigermen of Sedalia.

The Smith-Cotton Junior high school five defeated the Smithton Junior high school team in a preliminary game by a score of 14 to 10.

SEDALIA—	FG	FT	F
C. Michaelis, f	1	5	2
Weller, f	0	0	1
Patton, f	0	0	1
B. Michaelis, f	3	0	0
Pierce, c	0	0	1
Meints, g	0	0	2
Logan, g	0	0	2
Carver, g	0	1	1
Sanders, g	0	0	1
Totals	4	6	11

HANNIBAL—	FG	FT	F
Fohey, f	12	2	0
Osterloh, f	0	0	1
J. Walley, f	2	0	3
Stewart, c	1	0	0
G. Walley, g	3	0	2
McQueary, g	0	2	1
Rosser, g	0	1	2
Boutjer, g	1	0	3
Totals	19	5	10

Referee: Knorp, Pleasant Hill.

Holding the Kirksville five to a single free throw in the first half the Tigers of Smith-Cotton fought off a last half attack of the visitors to win 24 to 14 and avenge an early season defeat administered by tonight's opponents. The game was played on the local high school court at 8 o'clock Friday night.

The Tigers started early and were scoring at will the first period while Kirksville, also known as the Tigers, was unable to get started.

Connie Michaelis of the Bengals grabbed the scoring honors with 9 points, followed by teammate Pierce with 7 points. Murfin was high for the boys from "up north" with 4 points. The half score was 12 to 1 in Sedalia's favor.

Kirksville displayed a fast moving attack after a slow first half and until then did not show the Sedalians much opposition.

Smithton's "B" team defeated the Tiger "B" team 32 to 24 in a game played at Smithton last night.

Herman Logan scored 10 points for the Bengal cubs while Jimmy Garner, also of Sedalia, dropped them through the hoop for 6 points.

The referees were Bill Lyons, of Marshall and Louis E. Alley, of Smith-Cotton.

Sedalia	G	FT	PF
C. Michaelis, f	4	1	1
Pierce, f	3	1	3
Logan, c	0	0	0
B. Michaelis, f	0	0	0
Meints, g	0	0	0
Carver, g	2	2	2
Sanders, g	1	0	1
Weller, g	0	0	0
Patton, f	0	0	0
Lingle, f	0	0	0
	10	4	7

Kirksville	G	FT	PF
Murfin, f	2	0	0
Madorin, f	0	0	4
Harkey, f	1	0	0
Jamison, f	0	0	0
Bryan, c	1	1	0
Scurlock, g	0	2	1
Smith, g	0	0	0
Waddill, g	1	1	2
Hinton, g	0	0	0
	5	4	7

Sabin Defeats Mako In Florida Tourney

PALM BEACH, Fla., Feb. 11 (AP)—Wayne Sabin, whipped Gene Mako in the semi-finals of the Everglades tennis tournament today but some of the luster was taken from his fifth winter victory over the Davis cup player because Mako was ailing.

The score was 4-6, 1-6, 11-9, 6-0, 6-0.

The first balloon ascent in America was made on July 17, 1784, by Peter Carnes at Baltimore, Md.

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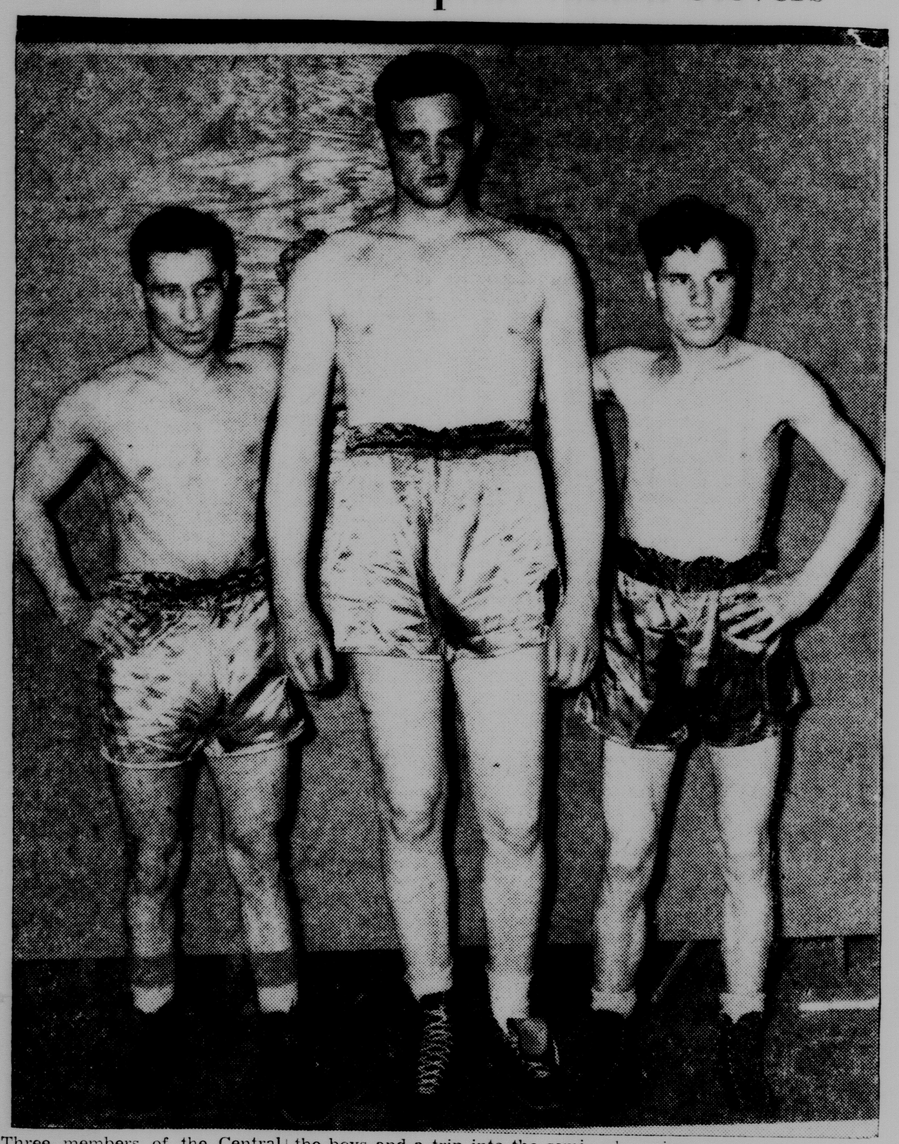

Three members of the Central Missouri Golden Glove boxing team who weathered the storm the farthest in the Tournament of Champions Golden Gloves sponsored by the Kansas City Star in Kansas City the past week.

Two champions in the novice division was the reward two of the boys and a trip into the semi-finals was that of another. The two champions received silver rings as awards from The Star.

Towering the two smaller boxers is Albert McAlear, of Marshall, who won the heavyweight division, and on the right is Dean Murray, the novice bantamweight champion.

Mark Peek, of Lexington, is at the left. Peek fought his way to the Friday night fights and lost his bout to Gerald White, of the News-Herald, Hutchinson, Kas., in the semi-finals. White finally was defeated in the finals by Charles Meigel of Kansas City.

Peek Loses In A Close Battle

Fine Showing By Boxer In His Contest

Central Missouri's last hope of closing in on one of the championships of the Tournament of Champions Golden Gloves, sponsored by the Kansas City Star, faded away in the loss of Mark Peek of Lexington, to Gerald White of the News-Herald of Hutchinson, Kansas, in the featherweight division, Friday night.

Peek was the only member of the Golden Glove team going to Kansas City from the Sedalia Democrat-Capital's tournament staged in Sedalia the previous week, to the final night of the "big town's" tournament. He had been set over to Tuesday night by virtue of a bye which was drawn by Coach Lawrence N. Englund of the local team, and on the second night fought two opponents to take the decisions.

This placed him into the semi-finals which were fought Friday and in which he lost by a close margin, given verdict by the judges as a "shade." Two of the three officials voted against the young boxer.

It was a real exhibition of boxing on the part of the two boys, each battling the other hard from the start to the finish, plenty of leather being tossed at each other. It was anyone's fight up until the fatal third round when Gerald succeeded in sending in several short jabs to take the necessary points to win.

Coach Charley Meyers of the Municipal Auditorium Boxing Club, Kansas City, went into the corner of Peek, when Coach Lawrence N. Englund of Sedalia was unable to go to the city Friday night. Peek has trained in the M.B.C. quarters for sometime and has been given instructions by Meyers.

Meyers did a nice job of handling Peek through the three rounds and had announced that should Peek win he would not go into the corner of the winner of the Haley-Meigel bout, inasmuch as he had trained all three boys during the past few months.

Trophies To McAlear-Murray

Dean Murray of Sedalia, bantamweight champion of the novice division and Albert McAlear of Marshall, heavyweight novice champion, who fought in the Tournament of Champions and won the championships of their respective divisions were on hand to receive their awards.

Both boys received solid silver rings with the inscription "Kansas City Star's Golden Gloves, 1939." In the center of the ring are two small boxing gloves. On the inside of the ring band was the inscription of the division and class won.

Several hundred boxing fans from over Central Missouri, the Sedalia area, were on hand giving moral support to the "lone wolf" Friday night.

Guldahl Ready To Play Cotton

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Feb. 11 (AP)—Ralph Guldahl, National Open golf champion, issued an "anywhere, anytime" challenge to Britain's Henry Cotton today.

The former Dallas amateur sprawled in the shade as he finished his second round in the $5,000 Texas open here and snapped:

"I'd jump at the chance to play this Cotton. I've only seen him hit two or three shots, but I know he must be a grand shotmaker. I'd like him at 72 holes—just anywhere he cares to play. It might be that we could fix up a 'home and home' match if I go to the British Open this year, as I plan."

Pause Today In Honor Of The Memory Of Lincoln

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program designed by President Wilson as a fulcrum over which to exert American leverage for world-wide arms limitations was on its way through the legislative mill. Party lines were badly split over it and political maneuvering was visible in parliamentary moves.

A similar arms expansion program aimed at the same end of inducing ultimate world limitation pacts is before this Congress; and again politics on both sides has something to do with it all.

There were violent Senate outbreaks that Feb. 12 over attempts to attach "social and economic reform riders" to a six billion-dollar war revenue bill.

A Republican-made effort to erect a department of public works committed to stimulating low cost housing to relieve unemployment was launched in the Senate that day. Unemployment is the unchallenged No. 1 problem of the nation two decades later.

Over it all, now as then, hovers Lincoln's long epitome of American purpose that "government of the people, by the people and for the people shall not perish from the earth." That still is America's covenant with destiny.

Rhode Island bent, creeping bent, and Canadian bluegrass are the best grasses to plant in shady places.

Nebraska Wins Over Missouri

Tigers Cut Lead To Three Points In Last 5 Minutes

NORMAN, Okla., Feb. 11 (AP)—Oklahoma's sooners came roaring from behind in the second half to overpower the Missouri Tigers, 43 to 40, and sweep into the lead in the Bik Six conference basketball race tonight as lowly Kansas State toppled Iowa State from the top of the pile, 44 to 40, at Manhattan.

The Tigers, deadlocked with the Sooners in second place when the game started, were hot as a sheriff's pistol in the opening period.

With Hal Halstead ringing the bell five times from far out on the floor the Tigers took the lead almost from the start and went to rest at the intermission enjoying a margin of 24 to 17. At one time they were out in front 20 to 9.

The Sooners found the range soon after the second half started. Jimmy McNatt and Garnett Corbin, the stubby Sooner forwards, showed the way as they overhauled the visitors eight minutes after the period started and went ahead, 28 to 27.

So tight was the sooner defense the Tigers made only one field goal in the first 15 minutes of the last period and with five minutes to go the Sooners were on the long end of a 39 to 30 score.

At that point the Tigers went on a spree that chopped the margin to three points, but the Sooners held their own the rest of the way, matching goal for goal.

Nebraska Trackmen Defeat Kansas 62-42

LINCOLN, Neb., Feb. 11 (AP)—The University of Nebraska successfully opened its 1939 indoor track season in a dual meet with Kansas University today by scoring a 62 to 42 victory over the Jayhawks.

W. W. Blain Special Judge

W. W. Blain, attorney, served as a special judge in the circuit court Saturday, elected to serve Saturday if necessary during the absence of Judge Dimmitt Hoffman, in Harrisonville, to serve as a special judge there.

Six attorneys were assembled in the court room when the election was held, Fred T. Wesner, H. T. Williams, D. E. Kennedy, John W. Palmer, W. A. Collins and Blain.

Thompson Leads Texas Open Tourney

E. J. Harrison Shares Lead With Golf's Slugger

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Feb. 11 (AP)—Slow-moving E. J. Harrison, the Arkansas traveler, and Jimmy Thomson, Golf's mightiest hitter, shared the 36-hole lead of the $5,000 Texas open tournament tonight with eight under par totals of 134.

Two shots ahead of Byron Nelson, Reading, Pa., youngster, and recent winner of the Phoenix Open, the Little Rock professional and Thomson had dub's errors to blame for not being at least one more shot in front.

Thomson, three strokes to the good after yesterday's course record-breaking 64, stripped one stroke from par today with his 70, but a careless jab at a 12-inch putt and a queer penalty stroke cost him dearly. On the fourteenth hole he lifted a twig from behind his ball and it rolled a few inches. He called the penalty shot on himself. He bracketed nine's of 35 for his 70.

Harrison, working on a fine 68 fired yesterday, drifted around the first nine in a three under 33. His one bad hole came at the sixteenth, where he missed an 18-inch putt for his only bogie. He was 35 on the last nine, two under.

Harrison, making his third winter tournament swing, is leading money winner to date with some $2,400 in his wallet. He won the Bing Crosby open and tied Dick Metz for the Oakland first prize, losing in a playoff.

The big guns suffered many casualties. National Open champion Ralph Guldahl was no better than 143 after three putting five greens on an even par 71 round. Light Horse Harry Cooper soared to 138 with a bad 76 and Harold (Jug) McSpaden was exactly 17 strokes over his incredible practice round of 59 with a wobbly 76.

Nelson, himself troubled by slick greens, still nipped par by two shots for a second round 69 that added up to 136—just two shots behind Thomson and Harrison.

Henry Picard of Hershey, Pa., and Paul Runyan, the little P. G. A. champion, had 66's today to add to their 73's of yesterday.

British May Recognize Rebel Order

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on Minorca, by planes reported to have been Italian while negotiations were in progress for the island's surrender also assumed significance.

Informed diplomats in London expressed belief the Italians may have staged the bombardment without Franco's approval to show dislike of the British-aided negotiations and to frustrate Minorca's surrender to exclusively Spanish troops.

If such were the fact, these informants said, it would be evidence of growing Italian worry over the prospect of Britain and France making the top bid for Franco's friendship.

Babies In Suit Cases

ARGELES SUR MER, France, Feb. 11—(AP)—Three Spanish mothers carried their babies into the Argeles concentration camp in suitcases today in order to stay with their husbands.

The "suit-case" babies exemplified various ruses employed by Spanish women trying to keep their families together respite the French rules separating them.

More than 100,000 Spaniards of fighting age who fled before the conquering insurgents in Catalonia are in barbed wire-enclosed concentration camps here and at nearby Saint Cyprien.

Turn To Valencia

PERPIGNAN, France, (Near the Spanish frontier), Feb. 11—(AP)—The Spanish insurgents, conquerors of Catalonia, turned their military might today against Valencia as peace efforts in the Spanish civil war marked time and the government stuck to its refusal to surrender.

Seven ministers flew from France to join government Premier Juan Negrin, who was reported from Alicante, Spain, to have quarrelled with military commanders in the bare fourth of the country his troops still hold.

Negrin scarcely had time to reorganize his administration in the central Spanish zone before insurgents again began air raids on Valencia, the government's key port.

20 Die In Raid

At least 20 persons were killed and 40 injured in five raids believed to have been made from the Italian-controlled air base on the island of Mallorca, off Spain's Mediterranean coast.

The 1,235-ton British freighter Lucky was partly sunk by a direct hit while unloading supplies.

Reports reaching the border from Alicante said that Negrin, backed by his influential foreign minister, Julio Alvarez Del Vayo, had differed with military leaders. Whether the reported rift was over peace negotiations or plans to continue the war was not apparent, however.

Despite Franco's refusal to consider anything except unconditional surrender, Negrin still insisted on Spain's freedom from foreign influence, a plebiscite to determine her future government and clemency for government supporters be conditions for peace.

CERTAINLY the people of Central Missouri need not be ashamed of the Golden Glove boxing team which went to Kansas City and participated in the Tournament of Champions Golden Gloves at the Municipal Auditorium. The Golden Glove team which went from this section and sponsored by the Sedalia Democrat-Capital newspapers was praised highly by officials of the "big town" tournament.

Mark Peek was the Democrat-Capital's last hope for an open champion and he did well against the colored boy of the News-Herald of Hutchinson, Kansas. He lost the fight by a shade, in which the decision came by hair-edge points.

Peek hails from Lexington, Mo., is manager of a coal mine operated by his father, is assistant scoutmaster of troop 410 Boy Scouts of America, is one of the smartest boxers of his weight in these parts.

Of more than fifty fights, Peek has lost but ten and has never been knocked out by an opponent.

We do hope Peek and his father, Howard Peek, who trains his son, will be back in Sedalia next season with a complete team from Lexington.

NOW that it's all over and everyone has just about returned to normal, (that is Coach Lawrence N. Englund, Yours Truly, and the greater part of the boys) it is really a funny thought to recall about everything that was said.

"WHEN DO WE EAT?" was the song adopted by the aggregation. And it was most generally followed up with, "Kelly, can I have some more of this and some more of that? How about a little dessert, say a piece of pie or some cake, or ice cream?" It was a satisfaction to give them a let down with "Ice cream only, remember your wind boys."

Coach Englund also had his hands full in spite of the able assistance of Clarence Henley, his second, and Earl Hallahan, who was a member of the team and who helped to train the boys. Englund would chime out—"Has anyone seen—?" And the reply, "Yes, they are over on the elevators riding up and down with the good looking elevator operator. They like to watch the operators, especially the little 'blonde' on the center cage." The boys (especially the smaller division boys) would go up in one and down in the other, keeping plenty of action for the girls. But they liked it.

Over at the Municipal Auditorium where the fights were held, it was a wonderful sight. Far down in the basement the boys weighed in, were examined by a doctor, and then issued their passes. It was interesting and thrilling to see more than 200 boys being weighed in and examined, and may it be said not one Sedalia boy was rejected because of his medical examination. All came up to the necessary qualifications and the doctors all expressed delight over examining such a group as the Central Missouri Golden Glove team sponsored by the Democrat-Capital.

In the basement or rather in the Exhibition Hall there were booths erected to handle the various teams, each booth with a large sign giving the name of the team. In each booth all necessary equipment furnished by the Kansas City Star, such as hand wraps, cots and chairs, and everything to make the boys comfortable while waiting their call over the loud speaker to report to the desk to be directed to the ring he was to fight in. The arrangement could not have been better.

Down in those rooms two hundred boys were filled with pep. Ernie Mehl, sports editor of the Star, walked through and offered a word of encouragement here and there while Fred Mansfield, circulation manager of the Star was about seeing that all the sponsors, coaches and others connected with the teams were well taken care of.

It was indeed a great sight to see healthy boys, full of pep and energy that was built up to the popping point, all laughing, talking, yelling, ribbing and having a good time.

IF you have never seen such a sight then you do not realize wholly why the coach has spent so much time with the boys, why the boys spent so much of their time training and preparing to do their best in their fights, and then training some more after winning a berth on a championship team.

If one could only have an opportunity to see this I am sure more of a general interest in amateur boxing would be had in this city. It was on a smaller scale in Sedalia last month but just about the same spirit throughout.

JUST some of the things heard in the dressing rooms. "Hey, wrap my hands, hurry up the loud speaker just called out my name. Say, here comes— how'd you do boy? I won. That's swell. Yeah, but that fellow couldn't sock, he's really a swell guy too."

"Shucks, I lost but the guy I fought sure was a great kid. He knew too many tricks for me, and could he sock 'em in. Man, Oh Man they sure hurt."

AFTER the fight the team song began immediately and was not quieted until after the nice juicy steaks had been devoured, and the same dessert call made with the same old answer, "ICE CREAM, That's ALL."

Back to the hotel with the coaches, seconds, and Yours Truly yelling at the top of their voices to get to bed and "for gosh sakes quiet down, don't you think the other customers in the Pickwick Hotel need a little sleep as well as you fellows?"

One sleep talker was in the bunch, a little fellow Le Roy, who in the middle of the night broke the silence—"Say, I told you guys I'm in the novice class"—then silence— "Just park your little shoesies over there," in a song like tone, and then back to sleep. Second, Clarence Henley, was awakened by the conversation with the sand man as was Cecil Landers. Landers, "Who is that talking, Henley?" "It's Bouton over there asleep, he's having a conversation with the sandman."

About 6:30 o'clock the next thing heard was, "Where's my tie? Who's got my shoes and socks?" Then down into the lobby asking everyone else, "Where's Kelly, we are hungry," and a phone call to the tired writer's room with the young boxer saying, "Say, Scruton, get down here we are hungry and want to get goin'. We want our breakfast. We got to see the town."

Fed and they are away so see the airport and up to KMBC radio station, where they met the announcer and the Chief of Police J. J. O'Brien shaking his hand, back to the lobby of the hotel and a few minutes later the announcer came down, shook hand with the chief who exclaimed, "Say that is a nice fellow, I seem to know him." Whereupon he was informed he had just met him in the radio station. The announcer had put on his hat and coat. Some change in a man.

AS a whole every boy enjoyed his two day stay in Kansas City and they received the best treatment that could have been possibly given. Their most enjoyable tour was that of the new Kansas City Police Department building and the new Kansas City hall, the latter place where they met Sergeant Kenneth Curran, who directed the tour of the building, taking the boys to the top of the building so they could see the skyscrapers.

In the revolving doors the boys got the doors going so fast they could hardly get out of them and traffic was tied up for a few minutes. Every pedestrian was amused in watching the Sedalia lads enjoy themselves.

MR. W. J. Steed, manager of the Pickwick Hotel, headquarters for the Sedalia aggregation, asked the boys only to be gentlemen and leave at least part of the hotel intact. His wishes were granted and he complimented the sponsors on having such a good group of athletes.

He said it had been a long time since he saw more than twenty boys come into his hotel and act as well as the Sedalia group, and would hardly have known they were there if it hadn't been for the loud red and blue jackets they wore.

Ott Given 118 Passes Last Season

National League's Green Book Is Off The Press

NEW YORK, Feb. 11 (AP)—If there was any danger of the fire in baseball's "hot stoves" burning out in the middle of the winter it has been forestalled by the National League green book which came off the presses this week.

It ought to start and end enough fanning bees to last until the season is well under way.

For instance, here are some of the gleanings from the "granary" stocked by Editor Bill Brandt:

Nine parks were used by the senior circuit clubs last year, Philadelphia shifting from Baker Bowl to Shibe Park in mid-season, and one player succeeded in hitting home runs in all nine. He was Pittsburgh's rookie sensation, John Costa Rizzo, who set a new Pirate clouting record with 23 homers.

Mel Ott of the New York Giants spread his 36 homers through all eight cities, but obtained none in Shibe Park. Incidentally, the National League pitchers apparently decided the best way to pitch to Ott was w-i-d-e. He drew 118 passes, his sixth season with more than 100, and on September 15 pitcher Jim Tobin of Pittsburg took such care not to hit Ott's bat he hit his body three times instead.

Contrary to the earned run and percentage calculations which showed Big Bill Lee of Chicago the season's foremost flinger, the green book shows Johnny (double no-hit) Vander Meer of Cincinnati was tops on the basis of opponents' batting averages.

Under this system of reckoning, evolved by Tommy Holmes of the Brooklyn Eagle, the collective batting average of all players off Vander Meer pitching was .213 while Lee's opponents hit .254.

Frank McCormick, Cincinnati's rookie first baseman, was the only player to get more than 200 hits and he led in bunching them, too. Twice he clustered five safeties in a single game and on six other occasions he grouped four.

Smithton Loses To Warsaw Lakes

The Smithton Athletic Club, playing without three of their regulars and no substitutes, were unable to stave off a last quarter scoring spurt by the Warsaw Lakes and lost, 41 to 35.

Smithton led the first three-quarters, the score being 30 to 29 at the start of the fourth quarter.

Holloway led the scoring with 15 points.

The undefeated Stover Bull Dogs, led by Earl Keth, star of the Warrensburg Mules last season, national intercollegiate champions, will play at Smithton on Tuesday nite, February 14.

SMITHTON—	FG	FT	F
Smith, f	4	4	1
Turner, f	6	1	1
Robinson, c	4	0	3
Taylor, g	0	0	0
Young, g	0	2	2
Totals	14	7	7

WARSAW—	FG	FT	F
McCarty, f	0	0	3
A. Parker, f	2	0	2
Miller, f	0	0	0
Parsons, f	5	0	2
L. Parker, c	2	0	3
Freeman, g	4	0	0
Holloway, g	7	1	2
Totals	20	1	12

Missouri Defeats Iowa Trackmen

COLUMBIA, Mo., Feb. 11.—(AP)—The University of Missouri indoor track team chalked up another victory over Iowa State tonight, its fifteenth out of the last 16 meets with the Cyclones. The score was 70½ to 33½.

Missouri took 11 out of 12 first places, Iowa State winning the pole vault when Warren Sargent soared 13 feet 4¾ feet 4¾ inches for a meet record.

Three other meet records were set—in the 880-yard run, the mile run and the shot put.

"Lonesome John" Munski, who returned just this week from the Millrose games in New York, coursed around the track for the mile run record, 4:29.6. The old record was 4:32.5.

Three Tiger football players monopolized the shot put, Vernon Ewing heaving the weight 47 feet 2 inches.

Marshall Reeves set the other record, running the 880 in 1:59.5. Munski held the old record, 2:00.3.

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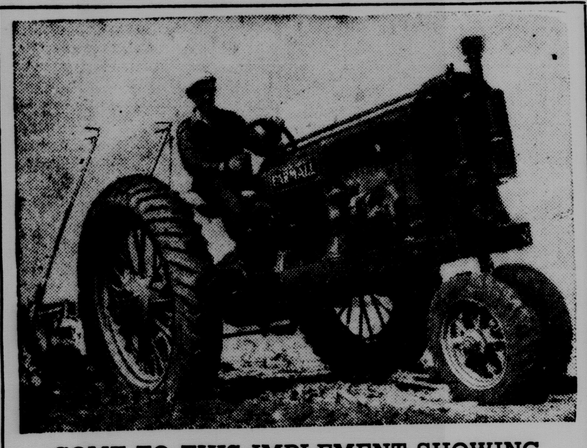

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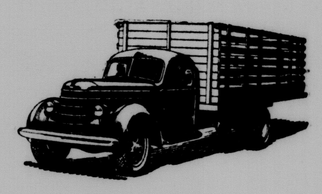

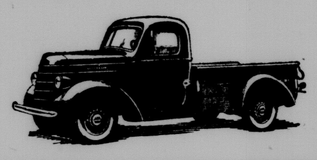

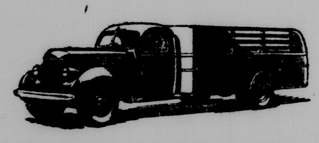

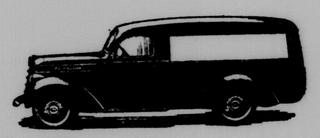

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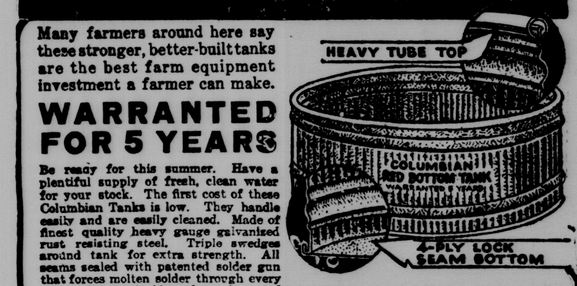

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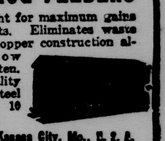

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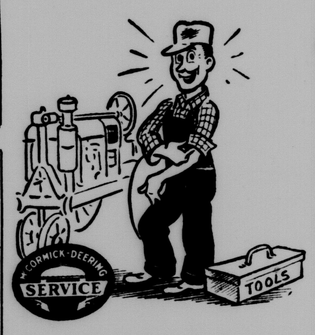

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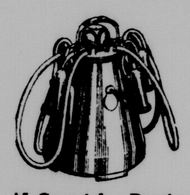

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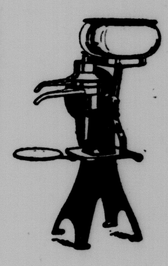

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Mrs. Sneed suggests that parents see that their babies' births are reported, for more and more the government is requiring birth certificates of the employees. Later it may be a great benefit to these children.

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'Lighted Torch' Be Presented At High School

"The Lighted Torch" a pageant for the Founders' day of the Parent-Teacher association, written by Mrs. Carl Appel and Mrs. Wm. Reed, will be presented at the Smith-Cotton high school auditorium, at 7:30 o'clock Monday night, February 13.

The entire cast and choruses are asked to be in the high school auditorium at 2 o'clock this afternoon for a dress rehearsal.

Following is the personnel of the cast:

Prologue, "Lighting the Torch," Spirit of 1939, Miss Edythe Couey.

Mrs. E. R. Weeks, living secretary of national congress, Mrs. A. G. Hausam.

Mrs. Alice Birney, founder and national president, Mrs. Robert Rapp.

Mrs. Phoebe Hearst, co-founder, Mrs. A. R. Allen.

Mrs. David Mears, originators of founders' day, Mrs. Marvin Crutcher.

Mary, the maid, Mrs. George Anderson.

Play — "The Lighted Torch."
Time — The Present.
Place — Any PTA meeting in a regular session for Founder's Day.

The Program

Characters: President, Mrs. Wm. Reed; secretary, Mrs. Emil Lange; chaplain, Rev. Paul Miller; chairman membership, Mrs. W. F. Schwenk; historical, Mrs. T. E. Gasperson; parent-education, Mrs. C. F. Appel; founder's day, Mrs. N. F. Bockleman.

Inserted playlet — "The Awakening of Mrs. Fink."

Mrs. Fink, Mrs. C. E. Van Horn; Jane Fink, Betty Truitt; Betty Fink, Virginia Lindstrom; Mary Fink, Marian Wade; Phil Fink, Frank Coffman.

Spirit of Education, Frances Meyer; health, Estelle Jenkins; worthy home membership, Mrs. H. E. Lindstrom; spirit of learning, Alice Laudenberger; citizenship, Mrs. Roy Gerster; vocational guidance, Mrs. E. V. Miller; wise use of leisure, Mrs. Mary Ellis; ethical character, Mary Frances Staley; musical adaptations for the use of the play; faculty ensemble, Misses Marian Smith, Margaret Love, Florence Hert; accompanist, Miss Geraldine Teufel.

Director, Prof. Alexander.

Solo — Lullaby — Carmena-Wilson, Mrs. C. O. Markham.

Duet — Selected — Messrs. I. H. Reed, Burney Morriss.

Faculty quartet — Misses Marian Snell, Mary Helen Meyer, Burney Morriss, Prof. Alexander.

Choruses — Mother Singers, directed by Mrs. H. C. Johnson. Mesdames J. A. McCullough, B. F. Boland, C. O. Markham, T. E. Gasperson, W. P. Arnold, Ernest Liebel, Everett Momberg, E. J. Thomas, Helen Self, A. H. Bratten, Elmo Rosenquist, Harold Gamber, John Rose, W. W. Johnson, Oscar DeWolf, Rick Fullerton, Herbert Wheeler, J. E. Thomas, F. B. Piper, Whitley Woodson, L. M. Starkey, H. F. Schrankler, Harry Wagner, R. P. Dowdy, H. F. Keens, H. R. Watterson, M. Scott, J. D. Williams, Herbert Schultz, J. J. Comer, Del Ilmberger, Glenn Kirkpatrick, G. L. Haggard, F. B. Meyer, R. H. Robb, B. Licklider, James Atkinson, N. F. Bockelman, A. N. Grose.

Fathers' chorus, directed by Burney Morriss.

Messrs. I. H. Reed, James Denny, F. B. Meyer, A. G. Hausam, W. T. Thomas, Ray Holler, George Hoffman, Oscar DeWolf, Lee Peabody, Wm. Morgan, A. R. Beach, Walter Pinkepank, D. Gantert, J. Z. Montgomery, Abe Rosenthal, Harry Lindstrum, J. C. Anally.

Personnel of the meeting, Mesdames P. Burford, Brown, Barnett, McAnally, Michaels, Burnett, Howe, Johnson, Vilmer.

Directors, Mrs. A. R. Beach, Miss Edythe Couty.

Accompanists, Mrs. Chas. Meyers; Miss Dorothy Bockelman.

General chairman, Mrs. N. F. Bockelman.

Miss Virginia Victor Be In Music Contest

Miss Virginia Victor, teacher in the Smithton high school, has been invited, by the president of the Southwestern Division of the National Conference of Music Education, to take part in Texas, from April 11 to 15. Eight states will participate.

Miss Victor will accompany on the piano, a bass singer, Dean Douglas, state supervisor of music in Missouri Schools.

Motor Burned Out

The fire companies at 12:22 o'clock Saturday morning were called to the Standard Oil Co., filling station, Fourth street and Osage avenue, where a motor on an air-compressor had burned out.

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Special Meeting at First Methodist

Dr. A. A. Halter, district superintendent of the Sedalia district of the Missouri Conference, will deliver a slide lecture at the mid-week service next Wednesday evening at 7:30. The subject of this picture lecture will be "The Church and The Home Cooperating in Christian Education." Dr. Halter is delivering this lecture throughout his district and it promises great assistance to all parents and church school workers.

Horace Mann Education Class Will Meet

The Educational Class of the Horace Mann P.T.A. will be held Friday, Feb. 17 at 2:30 o'clock at the school.

Mrs. Leonard Hall will be the leader. She will talk on the sixth article of the Parent Teacher Study Course, "Whose Quarrels Are These."

Member, friends and everyone interested are urged to attend.

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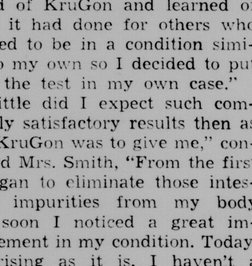

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Hospital No. 2 Notes

Sallie Emerson, of 404 West Johnson street, who underwent a minor operation Thursday is recovering very satisfactorily.

Mrs. May Pearl Williams, who sustained a fractured leg in an automobile accident is doing nicely. Her home is at 805 North Osage avenue. Others in the accident who received hospitalization Ed McMillan, 1004 North Osage, Charles Whitley, 405 North Moniteau, Hampton Arnold, 403 Mill, and Mrs. Belle Brown, 413 North Moniteau, have been dismissed to return to their homes.

The average thickness of the steel used in automobile bodies is about one-sixteenth of an inch.

Called To Father's Bedside

Austin Holloway, of Philadelphia, Pa., and Mrs. LeRoy Greenleaf, of Oklahoma, have been called to Sedalia by the serious illness of their father, F. W. Holloway, 416 East Twelfth street.

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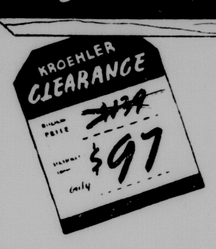

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Greece May Sizzle in War's Skillet; King Plays 'Casey Jones' in Bulgaria

By Melanie L. Pflaum, NEA Service Special Correspondent

ATHENS, Greece, Feb. 11—The Greeks are tired of war, but they don't see how they can keep out of one if it starts. That is why this small country has also joined the arms race, with 100 new planes and quite an army.

It looks remote on the map, but Greece would be "in the middle" in cast of European war. Crete and some of the Ionian islands and Italy would seek to use them. Corfu probably would fall immediately into Italian hands.

That is why Greece is today a British "sphere of influence." It is the British who keep King George in power. The king and Dictator Metaxas are said to be bitter enemies. But the king fears that without the military support of the dictator he would lose his throne. while Metaxas feels that without the king and the British there would be a revolution. So they get along as best they can.

WHISPER WHEN YOU SAY "METAXAS"

The name of Metaxas is mentioned, if at all, only in whispers. He is feared by all, hated by many. Critics are discouraged by Metaxas, whimsical habit of locking them up in cells filled with four feet of water, or cousing less serious offenders to lie naked on blocks of ice.

Though British influence is still dominant in Greece, German commercial penetration is greater this year than ever. Germany buys Greek tobacco, olive oil and fruits. In return the Greeks get imitation wool sweaters, harmonicas, cheap watches, fountain pens, and the Tyrolean hats with which the Balkans have been flooded this year. You can map German commercial penetration into the Balkans by following the trail of these hats down the Danube.

The ancient ways still thrive in Bulgaria. Pictured are peasants bearing symbolic gifts to the royal household in Sofia in honor of birth of an heir to the throne.

If Greece is dragged into a war, it will be done by northern Europe, not by her traditional enemy, Turkey. Improvement of relations between Greece and Turkey is shown by the evident and sincere sorrow expressed in Greece at the death of Kemal Ataturk. The work of Kemel is wiping out ancient enmities was well-known to Greeks.

In fact, in some ways Greece looks more like Turkey than Turkey itself. Ataturk did such a thorough job of modernizing in Istanbul that if it were not for the mosques and palaces one might take it for a European city. But in Crete, for example, peasant women almost always have a cloth or scarf drawn over the lover part of the face, and the men wear a sort of turban.

BORIS IS TRAIN FANCIER

Of all the Balkan countries, Bulgaria immediately impresses one as the most progressive. King Boris, whose hobby is railroading and who likes to drive the engine of his own train, is apparently trying to modernize his country as fast as possible.

Bulgaria is the only Balkan country with a real minimum wage, a fairly high standard of living, and a thoroughly modern school system.

King Boris has a fine collection of all the latest types of locomotives, and a special strip of track on which to try their speed.

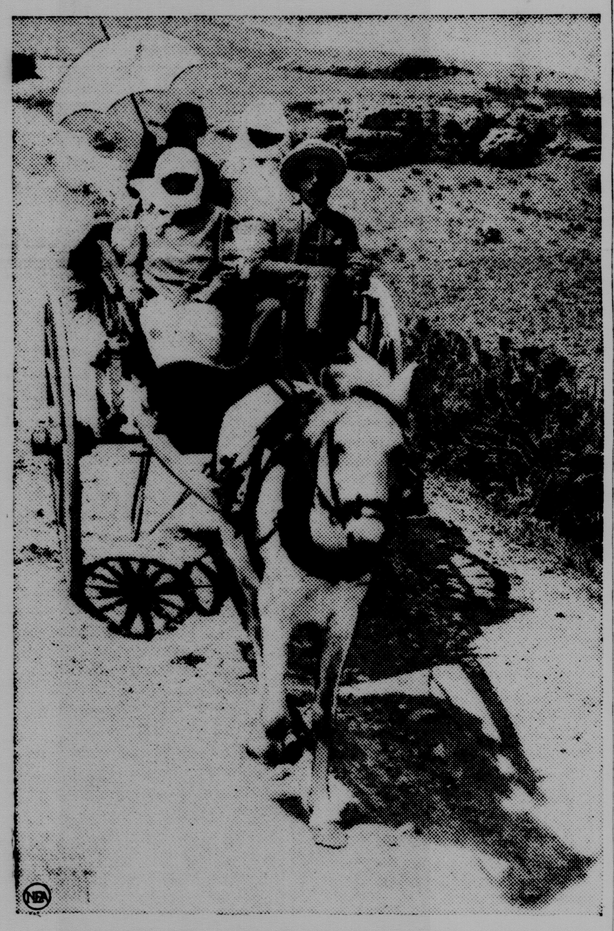
But this is one of the things you don't talk about. Bulgarians are sensitive about their king's hobby. In Rumania you do well not to discuss Madam Lupescu or Bessarabia. In Jugoslavia, Prince Paul's German leanings are not to be mentioned, nor is it well to discuss the fate of Czechoslovakia.

Ten thousand Jugoslavian students had been organized to fight for the Czechs, and the Jugoslavians see in the fate of Czechoslovakia a warning to themselves.

Thus it is well to travel in the Balkans with a sort of mental loose-leaf notebook containing topics not to be discussed. They range from those that will land you on the inside of a cell looking out to those that are merely unpleasant.

In Greece people find it unwise to discuss politics at all, and the only comment I could elicit from an Athenian student about King George was "Our king is not hated, but neither is he beloved.' In a country where the government is threatened by possible revolution it is best to speak softly. In Greece there are two such possibilities.

There are the Republicans, followers of Venizelos. Many have been exiled to barren little islands of the Aegean, but each has a large and powerful family back in Greece waiting eagerly for the revolution. And Germany would like nothing better than a revolution in Greece that would oust the present government and put in one favorable to Germany.



A Sunday afternoon outing in rural Greece. Note peasant dress of the women and stylish clothing of man in the driver's seat.

Officers Elected By Veterinarians

The Central Missouri Veterinary Association held its annual meeting at the Hotel Bothwell Friday evening.

Dr. J. H. Wells of Kansas City was the principal speaker, his topic was the "Present Day Needs of the Veterinarian."

The meeting was well attended. The officers elected for the following year are: President, Dr. F. H. Suits, Odessa, vice president, Dr. Harvey Slater, Carrollton; secretary-treasurer, Dr. Geo. F. Townsend, Sedalia.

Extension Club Met Wednesday

Mrs. Ruth Meyer was hostess to the South Abell home extension club Wednesday.

After the reading of the club collect in unison, the news letter was read by Mrs. J. Tuggle. Mrs. M. Riley, project leader of the month, spoke on kitchen conveniences, explaining her suggestion in a clear manner.

Roll call was answered by telling how each would spend $5.00 on articles for the kitchen. Colors which would be becoming to the members for house dresses were distributed by Mrs. Rhodes, Mrs. Kehl and Miss Ruth Bohon.

Included in the other parts of the program, Mrs. J. Mock gave an interesting account of her recent trip to New Orleans. Mrs. Meyer was appointed 4-H cooking leader.

In addition to the twenty-four members present there were four visitors, Mrs. Eicholtz, Mrs. J. Fairfax, Mrs. McKinley and Mrs. Sigmund.

At the close of the meeting valentines were drawn from a valentine box. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Davis on March 8, with Mrs. Dillion as assistant hostess.

Enlistments For U. S. Army Reserve

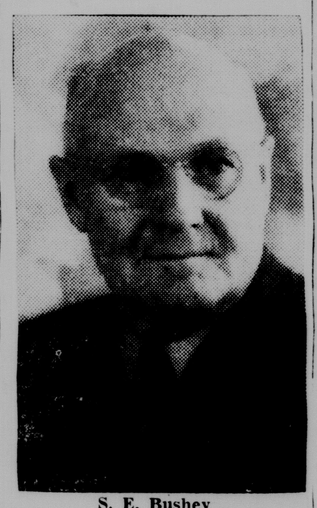
Major Kenneth F. Hanst the district recruiting officer, stationed at Fort Leavenworth, will be in Sedalia Thursday of this week and will at that time enlist any applicants for the Regular Army Reserves who have applied for enlistment and passed the necessary examinations at the Sedalia office, and the sergeant in charge of the office here states that men who are interested in enlistment in the Reserves should apply at the Sedalia office within the next few days.

Independent Retail Grocers To Meet

The Sedalia Independent Retail Grocers Association will meet in regular semi-monthly session Monday night at Hotel Bothwell at 8:00 o'clock. Important business matters will be transacted and all independent grocers are requesated to be present and bring with them their Patman Act petitions.

Had Article On S. E. Bushey

S. E. Bushey, 2207 South Kentucky avenue, retired Missouri Pacific engineer, was the subject of an interesting sketch in the February issue of the Locomotive Engineers' Journal.



S. E. Bushey

"Retiring from active railroad service on September 26, 1938, Brother Samuel E. Bushey had watched its progress for the last 44 years," the article states, and continues:

"Brother Bushey went to work as fireman on the Atchison, Topeka & Sante Fe at Las Vegas, N. M., in September 1894, and was promoted to engineer June 3, 1898. He joined the B. of L. E. in October of the same year.

"From 1899 to 1904 he worked from Old Mexico to Vancouver, British Columbia. He was hired by the Missouri Pacific in May, 1904, and was one of the pioneer engineers of the River Route between Jefferson City and Kansas City.

Appointed road foreman of engines for the eastern division in June, 1912, he served until February, 1927, when because of ill health he returned to passenger service until his retirement.

"Brother Bushey has a suburban acreage where he will be glad to visit with old timers and teach them the art of farming."

Broadway P. T. A. To Have Program

The annual Founders' Day program of Broadway school will be held at the Parent-Teacher Association meeting in the school at 3 o'clock Friday afternoon, February 17. Mrs. Eugene Brown, chairman of the Founders' Day committee, will be in charge.

A play, "The Oracle Speaks," will be presented by the following, Mrs. J. W. Leftwich, Mrs. A. L. Pierce, Mrs. Chas. Mendershausen, Mrs. R. L. Gerster, Mrs. Mary Ellis, Miss Lydia Gerster.

An invitation is extended the public to attend.

Married Here

Glen West, of Racine, Wis., and Leona Frahm, of Lebanon, were married Friday afternoon at the Justice Court of James C. Connor by Powell M. Cain, pastor, Sedalia circuit of the M. E. Church, South.

Pleasant Green P.T.A. Had Program

The Pleasant Green Parent Teacher Association held its regular monthly meeting February 6, with the president, Mrs. Chas. Brown in charge. The meeting was opened by singing, "Faith of Our Fouunders" and "America the Beautiful."

Report of the county council meeting was given by Mrs. C. E. Carrall.

There was a committee appointed to make bylaws for the P.T.A.: Miss Esther Sanders, Mrs. Virgil Breashears and Mrs. Norman Ficken.

The following officers were elected: President, Mr. Glenn Wellman; vice-president, Mrs. Norman Ficken; secretary, Virgil Brashears; treasurer, Walter Sanders; delegates to the county council meeting, Mrs. Wm. Sullivan and Mrs. Glenn Wellman.

The following program was given:

Founders Day Playlet.

Solo, "The Wedding of the Painted Doll," Miss Esther Sanders.

Talk, "How Missouri Educates Its Citizens," Glenn Wellman.

The meeting adjourned and chili was served to the 51 present.

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'I Did Not Know Much,' said Lincoln of His Youth

The best possible observance of Lincoln's birthday anniversary would be for every American to read some of the words Lincoln has written.

He wrote so clearly, so simply, so beautifully. And he learned practically unaided.

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In the brief "autobiography" which Lincoln wrote once in a personal letter just before the Civil war, he told the story of his education:

"There were some schools, so called (in Spencer county, Indiana) but no qualification was ever required of a teacher beyond 'readin', writin', and cipherin'' to the rule of three. If a straggler supposed to understand latin happened to sojourn in the neighborhood, he was looked upon as a wizard. There was absolutely nothing to excite ambition for education. Of course, when I came of age, I did not know much. Still, however, I could read, write, and cipher to the rule of three, but that was all. I have not been to school since. The little advance I now have upon this store of education I have picked up from time to time under the pressure of necessity."

So the man looked back on the days of his youth. "I did not know much," he recalled. But he taught himself much later on, after school days were over.

That is the key to all education. Its aim is to make a man wise. Some men, true, became wise without any formal education. Lincoln would never have been a fool, even if he had not been able to "read, write, and cipher to the rule of three." He might even have become wise, for he was observant, curious, reflective.

But education, which means in its original sense, merely the "drawing out" of latent abilities, was necessary to bring out the Lincoln who stands like a colossus over the American scene. Lincoln knew that, and, since ready opportunity was denied him, he fought for every chance to read books, to meet interesting people, to do everything that would widen his horizons and open the broad world to his eager mind.

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Read his words, and see how this man who as a youth "did not know much," taught himself mastery of his English language. It enabled him to pass on to people of his own time, and down to us by the written word, the wisdom that came to him as education helped him to develop it.

The ceremonials are well enough. But the best tribute to Lincoln at his birth date this year would be for every American to read his inaugural addresses, the Gettysburg speech, his letters and papers. For by his own naked efforts, Abraham Lincoln made himself not only an educated, but a wise man.

German archeologists have proven that the ancient Incas of Peru kept bulldogs as pets. Vases adorned with realistic figures of bulldogs have been unearthed. The American breed of bulldog, however, is now extinct.

Cleveland public library exhibited a carving of a miniature Chinese boat in 1936. The boat, of intricate design, was carved from a peach stone.

A new fan belt may eliminate certain noises in an automobile engine.

Is Death Penalty Dying?

It's been a long time since the country has been swept by any kind of a concerted campaign to abolish capital punishment.

Back in the old fashioned days of the early 1900s, when human life was still considered to have value, there used to be periodic campaigns against the death penalty as barbarous.

But since the world war set up 8,000,000 white crosses and poppies grew about them while Spain and China were killing their millions, somehow objections to ridding the world of some dangerous scoundrel by summary execution sounded weak and irrelevant.

But it is not that bad. A committee of 40 lawyers banded together to work for abolition of the death penalty in Massachusetts, found that today only six states retain the death penalty with no alternative: Massachusetts, Vermont, Connecticut, New Mexico, North Carolina and Florida.

Gradually the apparently lost ideal of a society that could maintain itself without the punitive ruthlessness of a Chinese war lord, has been making progress even without an active or recognized campaign. Long campaigns yield nothing; the reformers tire and say "It is hopeless; nothing can be done!" And then, while they speak, the fruit they tried so long to pick drops in their lap, dead ripe at last.

Suwannee Bells

This winter is expected to see the beginnings of a new memorial to Stephen Collins Foster. It is to be built in north Florida on the banks of the Suwannee river near White Springs, sixty miles west of Jacksonville, and is planned to include an amphitheater and carillon tower.

Already a grateful nation has memorialized Foster. His birthplace is in the Henry Ford musuem at Dearborn, Mich.

Pittsburgh, his native city, has a $500,000 shrine which houses among other things the purse Foster carried when he died, and which contained three pennies and thirty-five cents in "shinplasters." There also are his last scribbled words, "Dear friends and gentle hearts. . . " found in the miserable Bowery lodging-house from which he was carried to Bellevue hospital to die. Nobody ever has known whether they were the beginnings of a new song or a message to friends.

Bardstown, Ky., has preserved as a shrine the "Old Kentucky Home" made immortal by Foster's song, and the Suwannee River has a memorial near Waycross, Georgia.

In a world which is lionizing men of force and violence, it is certainly no bad thing to build one more memorial to the man who wrote the simple songs to which a whole people turn for comforting assurance that the entire world is not scored either in march or swing time.

• So They Say

European developments are about five or six, certainly not more than 10, years ahead of what is happening here.—Tom Amlie, at the hearing to determine his fitness to become Interstate Commerce Commissioner.

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Well, I think it should have been unanimous.—Senator Carter Glass, after the senate voted to reject Judge Floyd H. Roberts, 72-9.

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I have never seen a nude as naked as this one.—Rev. Mrs. Mary Ellis, Philadelphia anti-vice crusader, commenting on Thomas Benton's painting "Susannah."

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Europe is like a madhouse . . . it will be a relief to get back to the peace and sanity of Africa.—Mrs. Oswald Pirow.

• Looking Backward

Forty Years Ago

John B. Holdner, of the Fred Lange store on West Main street, fired several shots at a burglar, who escaped, late Friday night at his home in Stringtown.

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C. C. Stanley said yesterday that Sedalia was on the verge of a fuel famine. "There is no coal nor wood," he reported, and added that while there is plenty of coal in the mines, the extremely cold weather has resulted in its being consumed as soon as it is taken from the mines.

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The features of the program at the Sunnyside literary society meeting Friday evening was a mock trial before Judge Reuben Gentry.

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Mayor W. C. Overstreet and Chief of Police Thomas Prentice have issued a stern ban against the operation of slot-machines and all similar gambling devices as part of a wide-spread campaign against crime in Sedalia.

• "Just Town Talk"

A YOUNG Boy
WHO OFTEN
VISITS
HIS GRANDFATHER
IN THE Country
RECENTLY
RECEIVED
A GUN
AS A Gift
AND LIKE
ALL BOYS
THOUGHT
OF A Rabbit
THIS BOY
IS VERY Young
AND INEXPERIENCED
IN THE Way
OF HUNTERS
SO WHEN He
SAW A Rabbit
IN A Trap
PUT OUT By
HIS GRANDAD
THAT NATURALLY
WAS A Swell Rabbit
TO SHOOT
HIS DAD Explained
THAT THAT
WOULD NOT Be
GOOD SPORTSMANSHIP
THAT HE Should
SHOOT A Rabbit
ON THE Run
SO
THE CHILD
WENT BACK
TO THE Trap
LET THE Rabbit Out
AND HAD To
ALMOST COAX It
TO MOVE
BEFORE HE Could
SHOOT AT It
IN MOTION
BUT I Think
HE CAME Home
WITH THE Rabbit
I THANK YOU

• The Daily Washington Merry-Go-Round

By Drew Pearson and Robert S. Allen

(Editor's Note: The Brass Ring, good for one free ride on The Washington Merry-Go-Round, has been bestowed on many, but only twice have Drew Pearson and Bob Allen awarded the special honor of Grand Order of the Brass Ring. This, given to those who can ride The Merry-Go-Round yet keep their head and their sense of humor, today is given to Oswaldo Aranha, Foreign Minister of Brazil.)

WASHINGTON—The arrival of Oswaldo Ahanha, Foreign Minister of Brazil, in the United States this week has more significance than the visit of any other foreign potentate in years unless it be the forthcoming pilgrimage of the King and Queen of Great Britain.

Aranha served for four years as Brazilian Ambassador in Washington and was one of the most popular envoys since the days of Jusserand of France. But that is not why his visit is significant.

Nor are conversations regarding trade, foreign exchange, or credits the reason for his visit. These will be discussed; but the real reason goes far deeper.

It goes back to the State Department's recent awakening to the alarming extent to which Nazi-Fascist influence has penetrated in South America. It also gets down to the fact that the United States, despite the "Good Neighbor" policy is not at all popular south of the Rio Grande.

Complacent Cordell Hull hadn't realized these things until he went to the Lima Conference in December. There he had his eyes opened. Also he had his eyes opened to the fact that Oswaldo Aranha was the one outstanding friend of the United States in the Southern Hemisphere.

This country has other Latin American friends, it is true, but few of the Aranha type who will stand up and fight against any odds for friendship with the United States.

German Plot

Greatest fight Aranha has made is to keep Nazi influence out of Brazil. And with his return to the USA, a State Department secret can be revealed, namely that Aranha had a lot to do with the recall of the German Ambassador from Washington. In fact, Aranha played a larger part in this than anyone else.

Background of this revelation goes back to last summer when the Integralistas, or Brazilian Nazis, staged a revolt. Afterwards it was discovered that funds for the revolt had come from the Deutsches Amerikanisches Bank in Rio de Janeiro. It had advanced $500,000 for the overthrow of the Brazilian Government.

Immediately, the German director of the bank and his two assistants were jailed. This brought a protest from the German Ambassador, Karl Ritter, who demanded of Foreign Minister Aranha that he release the men at once. Aranha reminded Ritter that it was Brazilian law which ruled Brazil, not Nazi.

Ritter became so abusive that Aranha almost lost his diplomatic poise and threw him out.

Later when Ritter returned to Germany for the Nazi Party reunion at Nuremburg, Aranha instructed the Brazilian Ambassador in Berlin, Jose Muniz de Aragoa, to inform the German Foreign Office that Ritter was not to return. However, Aragao was too timid in his statement, or else the Foreign Office deliberately misunderstood him. At any rate, Ritter left Hamburg for Rio.

Learning this, Aranha peremptorily informed the German Foreign Office that Ritter would not be received in Rio. So his ship was stopped off the coast of Portugal and Herr Ritter put ashore at Lisbon. Simultaneously Aranha recalled his own Ambassador from Berlin.

Washington Headquarters

Behind this drastic action was further discovery by the Brazilian Government of Nazi revolutionary attempts in the southern provinces of Santa Catharina and Rio Grande do Sul. These (Aranha traced directly to the German Embassy in Washington. All the evidence pointed to Ambassador Hans Dieckhoff as the arch-plotter of revolt in Brazil.

Aranha communicated all his evidence to the State Department, and it arrived just as the Nazis began their last persecution of the Jews. So Roosevelt and Acting Secretary of State Welles figured that one way of getting rid of Dieckhoff was to withdraw the American Ambassador from Berlin, which would serve both as a protest against Jewish persecution and so arouse Hitler that Dieckhoff would be recalled immediately. This was exactly what happened.

Note — Simultaneously, cables were found signed by Dieckhoff, authorizing payments to Italian witnesses against the United States in the Kingsland, N. J., munitions explosion in 1916, which German agents were accused of setting off.

Cowboy Diplomat

Aranha is a product of the Southern Brazil prairies. Born of a wealthy rancher, his nickname is "The Gaucho" (cowboy). Friends accuse him of having been born in the saddle. At any rate, he spent one whole year in the saddle preparing for the revolution of 1930, which put President Vargas in power. As a result of that campaign he still carries a piece of lead in his shoulder, plus four other bullet wounds.

Only 45 years old, into those years Aranha has squeeed two lifetimes He has studied at the Military College of Rio de Janeiro, later graduated in law at the University, and even studied at the swank Ecole des Hautes Etudes Sociales in Paris.

In Washington, Aranha did what few diplomats take the trouble to do—he learned to know the United States. He made several trips to the Far West, got to know both Democratic and Republican leaders, attended the 1936 political conventions, where he coined a phrase which since has become famous.

"At Cleveland," he said, "the Republicans promised Santa Claus to both the rich and the poor, while at Philadelphia the Democrats promised Santa Claus to the poor with the rich man's money."

South American Alliances

All during his term as Ambassador, Aranha warned the State Department that the United States would have to do more than express pious platitudes and distribute magic lantern slides of the Andes if they wanted to keep the friendship of Latin America. He pointed out that Europe was developing closer political and economic cooperation with Africa, and that the United States would have to do likewise with South America. He urged closer trade cooperation on the basis of American manufacturered good and the non-competitive tropical products of Latin America.

The State Department listened politely and did almost nothing. Of late months, however, Mr. Hull has been jogged into activity.

And Aranha, the most consistent and hard-hitting champion of the United States below the Rio Grande, is now given his hour of recognition.

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• Side Glances

By George Clark

"Our new doorman isn't very accommodating. The other one always fell dead every time Wilbert shot him."

• Mind Your Manners

Test your knowledge of correct social usage by answering the following questions, then checking against the authoritative answers below:

1. Should the girl or her date suggest ending an evening?
2. Should a girl thank a young man for taking her out?
3. When a young man has a date with a girl and they don't leave her house right away, is it up to him to suggest that it is time to leave for the picture show?
4. How should a girl introduce a boy to her mother?
5. Should a young man rise when the mother of the girl he is having a date with walks into the room?

What would you do if—

You are a young man who has recently started dating a girl of whom you are very fond, but before you met her you asked another girl to your fraternity dance—

(a) Break the date with the girl?

(b) Keep the date, but explain the situation to the second girl?

(c) Keep the date, and make no explanation?

Answers

1. The girl.
2. It is better for her to say that she had a wonderful time.
3. Yes.
4. "Mother, this is Tom Brown."
5. Yes, or any other woman.

Best "What Would You Do" solution—(b) would probably be the best bet.

Rally Be Held At Quinn's Chapel

The Men's club of Quinn chapel, A.M.E. church, Pettis and Osage, will have its third annual rally at the church at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon. This is a church wide movement. Mark Powell, chairman of the program committee has secured Rev. J. Y. Jackson, president of the Negro Ministers Alliance, as the speaker.

The program will be:
Music by the Union choir.
Prayer by Rev. Hunter.
Song by choir.
Song by gospel singers.
Introduction of speaker, Rev. Jackson.
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All men of the church are invited to take part. Rev. McKinley Van Hoose is pastor of the church.

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• SERIAL STORY

NO TIME TO MARRY

BY ELINORE COWAN STONE

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Yesterday: Janet and Barney find their real love at last, but just as Barney is laid off. So Janet goes hunting cheaper rent despite Barney's protests.

CHAPTER XXV

JANET'S heart sank lower and lower as she climbed one narrow stairway after another, and tramped through dark, bare, echoing hallways and chilly, cubicle-like rooms. The walls, painted in dull browns or grays or hard blues, or covered with monstrous paper, were marked by many trailing fingers; the plumbing was antiquated and stained with much usage; and there was everywhere the stale smell of cooking, and once or twice, of mice.

So far as the convenience of the locality went, she had spoken the truth. Within a block were signs marking a second-hand store, a cheap cafe, a filling station, a Chinese laundry, a fortune-telling booth, and a pawn shop. . . . Janet tried not to see that.

"I'll take another day to it," she told herself wearily at last. "They can't all be so unspeakable."

When she got back to the little apartment which, a few weeks ago, she had thought might "do" for awhile, it looked like a cozy Paradise lost. She was enjoying a quiet sniffle on the davenport when steps sounded in the hallway outside.

Good Lord! she thought. I can't let Barney find me bawling.

Desperately she powdered her nose, listening meantime for the sound of a key being turned in the lock. Instead, someone rapped smartly on the door panel.

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WHEN Janet opened the door, she was not sure that her swollen eyes were not deceiving her. But the slight, faintly crumpled figure standing on the threshold was unquestionably that of the old gentleman she had met feeding the squirrels in the park.

"Why, Mr. Justin, how nice to see you!" Janet cried, wondering how he had found her.

"Cozy place you have here, Mrs. McKnight," he said, looking about him. Then at her glance of surprise, he chuckled, "I told you I was a society-page fan. Read all about your wedding."

"But how did you know where to find me?"

"Ask me something harder. I was driving by and saw you come in; so I pursued you."

Janet said, laughing as she had not laughed for days, "I love being pursued; but you may be bored. I'm the only squirrel here just now."

"Oh, that's all right," he said delightedly, taking the chair she indicated. "We did have some nice visits, didn't we? There aren't a lot of people you can just talk comfortably to these days. . . . By the way, I hear that slick young man you used to be engaged to is building a house on those lots of his for a rich widow. Skinned her right out from under the nose of the firm he was working for. I hope he doesn't skin her, too."

"You don't miss much that goes on, do you?" Janet asked.

"I try to keep an eye out. But there's one thing I've missed lately," he said, suddenly serious. "That's the story your husband was writing for the News. . . . You're a good picker, young woman, when you really use your head. I like young men with plenty of nerve—and brains. . . . Do you remember my telling you that even I still have a yearning to go out and snipe at dragons sometimes?"

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IT was at that moment that Barney opened the door and came in, looking, if anything, more doggedly cheerful than usual.

"This is my husband," Janet said. "Barney, this is Mr.—"

"As a matter of fact, Mrs. McKnight," Abner Justin interrupted, "I'm here under false pretenses—sort of. It was your husband I really came to see. Haven't been able to run him down anywhere else."

"Indeed?" It seemed to Janet that Barney stiffened.

"What I'd like to know," Mr. Justin went on, "is this: do you still own the rights to that story they were running in the News a few weeks ago?"

"Of course he does," Janet said. "He did the work on his own time and with his own money—"

"Go slow, Janet," Barney said quickly, and turned to the old man. "Just what is it to you?"

"I am in a position," the old man said, "to pay you well for those articles."

"I seem to have heard that siren song before," Barney retorted, his eyes narrowing. "Only they send a different crooner each time. . . . And now you can go back to your little playmates at City Hall, and the higher-ups they're protecting, and tell them you've done your chore."

"My little—what?" The old gentleman seemed genuinely startled and entertained.

"I'm not impressed by your money," Barney went on, warming to his work. "I'm not even impressed by your threats. Because if you try any funny business, there are some signed papers in safe hands that won't leave any doubt in any one's mind who is responsible for it."

"I wonder," the old gentleman said, "if it would interest you to know that I own the News now, lock, stock and barrel; and that there's nothing under God's Heaven I'd get so much fun out of as seeing that story smeared all over its pages."

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AFTER a moment during which Barney's face was a study of incredulous bewilderment, he demanded, "Who—what did you say your name is?"

"Justin—Abner Justin. . . . You wouldn't know much about me maybe. I haven't been around here a great deal lately."

Barney, who had continued to stand, sat down, looking completely deflated. Evidently, Janet thought, the name carried conviction.

"You see," the old man went on, "I've never had time for a real fling in all my life. And I'm getting along. So I decided to buy the News and throw my weight around a little while I still have some to throw. I read some magazine articles of yours before I saw that News story. I like the way you think and I like the way you write."

As Barney, for perhaps the first time since Janet had known him, seemed utterly at a loss for words, Mr. Justin went on, "And by the way, I'm going to need a wide-awake young editor who isn't afraid to speak his mind—especially if I can find one with a wife I like as much as I do yours."

It was several months later that Barney, coming in a little early one day, utterly stampeded Janet by saying soberly, "Honey, I'm afraid we're going to have to move after all."

"All right, Barney," Janet said after a heart-sick moment. "I'll go out tomorrow and look around."

"Maybe you won't have to, if you can stand a place I stumbled over today. How about having a look at it now?"

As they drove, he refused to answer any questions, looking all the while so wickedly excited that Janet said, "All right, be a clam! But if you keep it up too long, you'll blow up with your own sense of importance."

Se did not guess, even when he swung the car into the hillside drive that led along the edge of the park. Then all at once Barney was stopping before the white house Lance had built.

"I haven't bought it yet," he said, "but Tim and Cynthia are going to Brazil—some construction job—and it's for sale. Do you—" he cocked a quizzical eyebrow, but his voice was eager—"do you think it will 'do,' Janet?"

(THE END)

REAL ESTATE HOME OWNER'S and BUILDER'S PAGE

Extension Is Impetus To Home Building

FHA May Now Insure $1,000,000,000 Additional Mortgages

The action of President Roosevelt in authorizing the Federal Housing Administration to insure an additional $1,000,000,000 in home mortgages means the residential construction industry can count upon a continuation of the financing facilities that have contributed so effectively to the revival of building activity since last spring, Administrator Stewart McDonald said.

Largely as a consequence of the liberalized FHA program put into effect last February, 1938, will be the most prosperous home-building year since 1929, and with an extension of present financing facilities assured, next year should show still further gains, Mr. McDonald said.

President Roosevelt acted under Section 203 (a) of the amended National Housing Act which provides that the aggregate amount of principal obligation of all mortgages insured and outstanding at any one time may not exceed $2,000,000,000, "except that with the approval of the president such aggregate amount may be increased to not to exceed $3,000,000,000."

Notwithstanding the gains in home construction registered this year, Mr. McDonald declared that "decent housing facilities in the United States are still grossly inadequate."

"An enormous task lies ahead in promoting sufficient construction to meet the country's needs," Mr. McDonald said.

"Moreover, the public is beginning to understand that the Federal Housing Administration for the first time in our history provides an unbiased agency to which the inexperienced layman may go for guidance and protection when he buys a home. The Federal Housing Administration protects the buyer and the builder against expensive and unsound financing, second-mortgage rackets, high- interest rates, hidden commissions, and other discredited devices which contributed so largely to the realestate collapse of the early 1930's.

"In each of the 48 states the Federal Housing Administration has established construction standards to eliminate jerry-building, Through its land-planning activities, the FHA is assisting in setting up effective barriers against neighborhood blight and the development of future slums. Accordingly, the demand for the services of the FHA is constantly increasing. FHA mortgage-insuring operations are running more than double the rate of a year ago."

As of December 1, the FHA had insured or had outsanding commitments to insure mortgages amounting to $1,585,000,000. In addition, mortgages in process of appraisal on December 1 amounted to $115,000,000 and applications for mortgage insurance with appraisal fees paid are being received at the rate of more than $100,000,000 a month. These figures, of course, do not include short-term property improvement loans amounting to $720,000,000 insured under Title I.

In the transaction of business under the Federal Housing Administration has incurred net losses of approximately $153,000, to meet which it has reserves available now in the Treasury amounting to $23,000,000. Current income from insurance premiums and appraisal fees amounts to approximately $1,000,000 a month. For the fiscal year 1940 the Federal Housing Administration, therefore, should be able to operate the mutual mortgage insurance system at little or no cost to the federal government and at the same time add substantially to the reserve fund to meet possible future losses.

Pie Supper and Program Given

The Salem P. T. A. had their pie supper February 8, with the following program:

Piano Solo—Martha Jane Stephen.

Vocal Solo—Charles Garrett.

Recitation, "Our Teacher Has a Beau"—Marcella Holman.

Instrumental Duet—Tom and Ruby Hudson.

Reading, "Annie Goes Along" —Dorothy Moore.

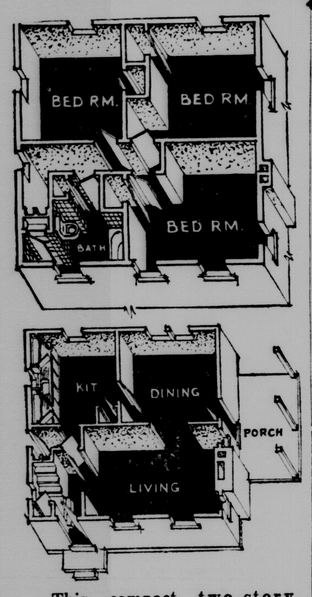
Piano Solo—Columbia Jane Cook.

Music—McFarland Brothers.

After the program, Mrs. James Paul the auctioneer took charge. Several contests were given and enjoyed by all present. The amount cleared was $12.89.

London business houses have set up "baby shelters" where mothers may park the youngsters for a penny an hour.

Practical Low-Priced Home



This compact two-story frame dwelling, situated in Lancaster, Ohio, was appraised at $5,600 and financed with the assistance of a $3,300 mortgage insured by the Federal Housing Administration.

Both floors show the results of sound planning in their space arrangement. Entry does not involve traversing the living room and there is access to the upper floor without passage through any room. The sleeping quarters have adequate well-arranged closets and cross ventilation. The bath is complete with shower stall, as well as tub.

• *Timely Briefs of Shops and Rails*

Mrs. Chris Rau is visiting her son, Chris, Jr., in Kansas City today. She is the wife of a sub foreman in the mill.

Forrest Hood, employed in the St. Louis office for the Missouri Pacific is spending the week end visiting in Sedalia.

C. R. Shirley, sheet metal worker, is spending the week end visiting relatives in Kansas City.

George Winters, coach carpenter, has returned to work after being off duty for the past 18 months on account of illness, and recuperating from an operation which he underwent at the Missouri Pacific hospital in St. Louis.

LeRoy Younger, store helper, for the Missouri Pacific in Kansas City is spending the week end visiting in Sedalia.

John Russu, carman, is spending the week end visiting in St. Louis.

Lewis Zey, carman helper, has been transferred to Alexandria, La., for temporary work with the Missouri Pacific at that point.

F. O. Decker, coach carpenter, was off duty last week on account of illness.

L. C. Hennes, carman apprentice, is spending the week end visiting relatives and friends in Osawatomie, Kans.

Passenger express refrigerator cars Nos. 3276 and 3332 were released for service Friday after undergoing repairs in the coach shop.

A large number of men have been called back to work in the freight shed on account of the heavy repair jobs in the department.

J. E. Coyle, pipefitter, has been off duty for several days on account of illness.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Clausen and children are spending a few days visiting in Sedalia. They are enroute to their home in Detroit after spending a few days visiting relatives near Urich, Mo. Mr. Clausen was formerly employed at the Missouri Pacific shops as a michinist.

August Walker, sheet metal worker, left Friday evening for Pittsburg, Kansas to spend the week end on business.

Engine No. 86 which has been undergoing repairs at the shops was taken out for a break in Friday.

Curtis Caldwell, class B sheet metal worker, has been duty for the past several days on account of illness.

The bridge and building gang have been laying new floor on the erecting side of the locomotive shops at pits 18-19 and 20.

The business solicitation efforts of members of the Sedalia Booster club during the month of January were rewarded with an increase in receipts in the freight depot for that month. The receipts for January, 1938 were $18,970 while the receipts for January, 1939 were $25,771, an increase of nearly $7.000. A large board has been erected at the shops and the report made each month and compared with the one the previous year.

The machinists and blacksmiths held a joint meeting at the Labor hall Thursday evening at which time the members heard representatives of the Unemployment Commission speak. The speakers were: J. M. Hansman of Jefferson City, deputy claims supervisor; H. P. Drisler, director of unemployment compensation commission; Walter Erb, control deputy, of Jefferson City, Samuel Raban, claims deputy; Luther Luckett, field advisor and F. M. Henry, manager of the local office.

Muriel Henderson, sheet metal worker apprentice, was off duty Friday on account of illness.

M. L. Bakert, machinist class B was a business visitor in Kansas City Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Hollis, and son, Granville, of Routan, N. M., are spending a few days visiting relatives and friends in Sedalia. Mr. Hollis is employed with the A. T. & S. F. at that point.

Joan Crawford Sues For Divorce

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 11.—(AP)—Joan Crawford, film star, filed suit Friday for a divorce from Franchot Tone, also of the movies. The petition also asks court approval of a property settlement.

Charging mental cruelty, Miss Crawford asserted that for some time past Tone had treated her in an inhuman manner and caused her great mental suffering and distress.

Although he knew before their marriage at Fort Lee, N. Y., on Aug. 11, 1935, that her picture duties demanded she spend long hours daily at the studio and required her to study her film parts with him socially, the complaint recited.

Since discovery of the East Texas oil field in 1930, it has produced more than 800,000,000 barrels of oil. The field is expected to produce a total of 3.000,000,000 barrels.

• Green Ridge

(By Mrs. J. B. Meyers)

The home of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Kendrick, north of town, was slightly damaged by fire Saturday. On Sunday morning the home of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Brown, south of town, was not damaged when a defective flue caught on fire.

Mrs. Lloyd Evans and son, of Ellensburg, Wash., are guests of Mrs. Evans' uncle, Charles Proctor and Mrs. Proctor, at their home west of town.

Mrs. Willie Eichoff and daughter, Drue, drove to Slater Sunday to visit their mother and grandmother, Mrs. W. S. Iman.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Stark entertained Sunday with a dinner honoring their son, Jimmie, on his seventeenth birthday. Guests seated at the table were Prof. E. Peterson, Melvin Ray, Howard Earl Warren, Julian Ream, Elmo Beach, of Sedalia and Misses Billie and Rosille Stark of the home.

"Bud" Anderson, of Kansas City, was visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eri Anderson and his wife's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Geigley, Tuesday.

Mrs. D. S. Crissman is suffering with a severe attack of the "flu."

C. H. Wisdom, cashier of the Farmers and Merchants bank, is back at his desk after a few days illness.

Miss Helen Francis Boltz was hostess Tuesday night to members of her Sunday school class. "Pick Up Sticks" was the game of the evening, played by 21 members. Helen Francis was assisted by her mother, Mrs. E. H. Boltz. in serving refreshments.

Mrs. W. E. Garrett, who has been visiting the last three weeks at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pittman, in south Green Ridge, left Thursday for her home in Buena Vista, Colo.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Berry and family were Sunday guests of Mrs. Berry's mother, Mrs. Emma Embree, south of Sedalia.

Rev. and Mrs. S. J. Stonger had as their guests over the weekend the latter's sister, Mrs. Everett Perry and Mr. Perry, of Eldorado Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilford Acker had as dinner guests Sunday, the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Anderson and Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Loury, of Sedalia; Mr. and Mrs. Purtle Loury, Windsor; the latter's mother, Mrs. Fowler, and Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Adams, of Windsor.

On Thursday Rev. and Mrs. Stonger and daughter, Francis, drove to Deepwater to attend the funeral of Mrs. Stonger's nephew, W. C. Young.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Beach had as their guest over the weekend their nephew, Elmo Beach, of Sedalia.

Miss Nellie Jones left Sunday for Bolivar to attend a course for Sunday school workers, which will be given throughout the week at Southwest Baptist College.

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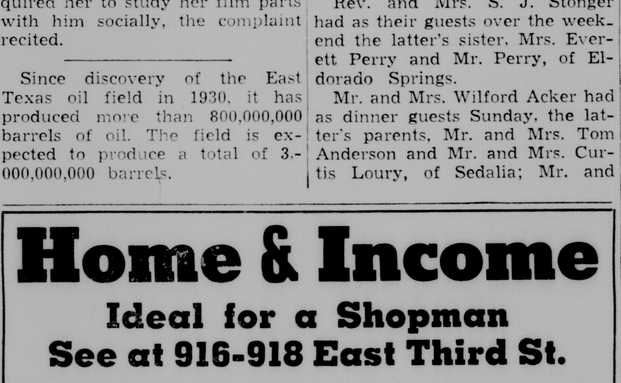
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• Boy Scout Notes

Notice to Scoutmasters

There will be a Scoutmasters and Commissioners meeting Wednesday, February 15 in the Scout office at 7:30 p. m. This is a very important meeting and you are urged to attend.

Scout Executive Cecil G. Morrison will be present.

Troop 50

Troop No. 50 held its regular meeting Thursday evening at 7:30 p. m. at the Armory, at which time the new scoutmaster, I. S. Barnes and assistant scoutmaster Leo Harms and Messrs. James Keenan, F. S. Rose, Walter Jesse and James Blue, members of the new committee for the coming year were introduced by District Commissioner L. O. Noland.

Plans for reorganizing the troop were discussed. Mr. Noland gave the boys a good encouraging talk on advancement. It was voted to move our meeting time to 7 p. m. Several games were played and the meeting was dismissed by repeating the scoutmaster's benediction.

We had several boys present and hope more of the troop will be present next Thursday evening.

Troop 51

Scout Charles Jackson led us in the scout oath followed by Scout Donald Poundstone in the scout laws. Scouts Bobby Shelton and Billy Middleton presented the flag.

Mr. Bunn then asked each scout questions concerning scouting. He also appointed a troop council to plan our summer curricula. The committee are the following scouts: "Dick" Erickson, Wesley Horn, Cecil Lee Swift, Kenneth Strole, and Virgil Landers.

We then played "Sergeant Murphy" and "Steal the Bacon." Mr. Heynen, our committeeman chairman, was our guest. We were glad to have him and we welcome him again. Scout Floyd Decker led us in the Lord's Prayer which closed the meeting.

"Dick" Erickson,
Acting Scribe.

Troop 56-A

We did not have our regular scout meeting because the Court of Honor occurred upon the same date.

There were twenty-four scouts from our troop present. Eighteen were awarded badges and higher ranks.

Those awarded second class were as follows: Alfred Paxton, J. B. Woodward and Wayne Cook.

Those awarded first class were Wayne Cook, Charles Beckham, Bobbie Gene Deel, Ernest Wofel, Alfred Paxton, J. B. Woodward, Buddie Wasson and Judson Banks.

Those awarded Star Rank were as follows: Allen Appel, James Barnes, Jack Dedrick, Buddie Masters, Robert Parker and Ralph Williams.

Several boys were awarded merit badges.

There were three committeemen present, Mr. Wolfel, Mr. Masters, and Mr. Dedrick, also our scoutmaster, Mr. Morrow.

After the awards were made we were entertained by a motion picture by Cline Cain of the south and of Old Mexico.

We are happy to welcome a new member to our troop, Tommy Ware.

After the picture we repeated the scoutmaster's benediction and were dismissed.

Maurice Silsby, scribe.

Troop 56-B

Troop 56-B met at the court house at Court of Honor Monday night, January 6th with many parents and friends present. We witnessed many scouts receiving higher rank and merit badges. The meeting was opened by all singing America with Bobby Ellis leading. Also we greatly enjoyed the moving pictures shown of Old Mexico and other parts. The meeting was closed by all scouts repeating the scoutmaster's benediction.

Robert Lee Smith, scribe.

Troop 58

Troop 58 met at Sacred Heart school with twelve scouts present. From there we marched to the court house for the Court of Honor. Many scouts received their scout pins and merit badges. Our next meeting will be held at 7:15 at Sacred Heart school.

Raymond Williams, scribe.

Troop 59

Troop No. 59 held its regular meeting at 7:30 o'clock Tuesday night at the First M. E. church. There were thirty-four members present. The meeting was opened with the scout oath. Dr. Gouge and Mr. Sutten instructed us in drilling. We played games and the meeting was closed with the scoutmaster's benediction.

Wilbur Vantine, scribe.

Troop 61

Troop 61 met Thursday, February 9 at Mark Twain school. Because of the bad weather there were only 15 scouts present. We then played Crows and Cranes and had a running relay.

Dick Shea, scribe.

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This Week In Missouri History

Compiled by the State Historical Society of Missouri at Columbia
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John Hardeman Walker, The "Czar of The Valley"

Tradition has long accredited the acquisition of Missouri's "heel" or "boot" to one man—John Hardeman Walker. Walker, a romantic figure known to his contemporaries as the "Czar of the Valley," was born on February 13, 1794, one hundred and forty-five years ago this week.

Walker is believed to be the first man to settle in the territory of Pemiscott County solely for the purpose of agriculture. He came across the Mississippi river from Fayette County, Tennessee, about 1810, settling at Little Prairie, a frontier trading post near the present site of Caruthersville. Here he acquired a tract of land extending for miles along the bank of the Mississippi river, and an immense herd of wild cattle mainly valuable for their hides and for the beef needed for the tables of early settlers.

Remained After Quake

When the New Madrid earthquake of 1811-1812 frightened most of the inhabitants out of the county, Walker remained. During the administration of William Clark as governor of Missouri Territory, Walker was made an adjutant of the Fifth regiment of New Madrid County and lieutenant of his company. He served his county, in 1821-22 as sheriff, and later as judge of the county court and in other positions.

During Missouri's bid for statehood, Walker was one of the most energetic and public-spirited citizens in the southeast corner of the territory. His active persistent interest in extending Missouri's southern boundary may be indicated in charges made by settlers in the central counties against Missouri's territorial delegates to Congress. The delegate was charged by those not especially favorable to a "crooked" southern boundary of being dominated by persons living in the southeast. Local tradition pictures Walker as vigorously working to push southward the thirty-six degree and thirty minute boundary, asked for in early petitions, and as being the person most responsible for securing the change.

Backed up by Jo[illegible] Scott and by influential lawyers and politicians in Jackson and Ste. Genevieve, the business and political centers south of St. Louis at that time, Walker evidently urged the territorial assembly to adopt memorials enlarging the southern limits. He probably received additional aid from his brother-in-law, Dr. Robert A. Dawson, member of the territorial council from New Madrid, and from Alexander Buckner, Judge Richard S. Thomas, and Joseph Bogy, in this struggle to bring into Missouri's boundaries some 1,100 square miles of unusually fertile soil—a territory larger than the state of Rhode Island.

Various stories are told explaining the extension of the boundary line. One of these tales points out that the region included in the boot was cut off from Arkansas by an "impassable marsh," a statement which may have had some influence upon the action of Congress. Another story was that the commission sent to survey the southern boundary was met at the St. Francois river by Walker, who persuaded them, because of the swamp, to follow from that point the meanderings of the St. Francois river as a boundary line. Walker is said to have entertained the surveying party royally in an attempt to persuade them to follow this course. He also is presumed to have pointed out that if the commission should run a straight line east to the river it would put his plantation in Arkansas, that it was sickly in Arkansas, and that he could not afford to live in a state where it was sickly. This story cannot be true, however, since the survey was made in 1923, two years after Missouri's admission to statehood and three years after the passage of the enabling act, wherein Missouri's boundaries were set. Walker died on April 23, 1860.

Founder's Day Program Friday

A Founders' day play entitled "The Pathway to the Present," written by Mrs. William Reed, will be presented at the Founder's day program at Washington school next Friday afternoon at 2:45 o'clock.

The play will portray not only the history of the National congress, but also a complete history of the Washington Parent Teachers association, and will be of especial interest to all patrons and friends of the association.

Mrs. Guy Vilmer is Founders' day chairman, and the mothers of the seventh grade will be hostesses at the social session which will follow at the conclusion of the meeting. The children's program will be presented by the pupils of the second grade.

The meeting promises to be one of the outstanding ones in the history of the association, and a large attendance is expected.

• Cranium Crackers

Some of the following statements are true, some are false. Which are which?

1. A pediatrician is a foot doctor.
2. The capital of Switzerland is Zurich.
3. Embonpoint is skill in horseback riding.
4. Elias Howe invented the sewing machine.
5. Croesus was known for his wealth.

Answers on Classified Page

• Raising a Family

Too Soft a Life Makes Child Take Real Trouble Too Hard

By Olive Roberts Barton

Longfellow said, "Into a life, some rain must fall."

And this is true, for without trouble and disappointment, no one would be worth his salt. The easier things are, the more the mind makes of trivialties. Trials are gauged by the habits of the person put to the test, and his way of accepting conditions as they arise.

I am not going to sermonize. That is always dull. But it has been running in my mind that an old man I know has it right. He said, "I was brought up in the country. We had to hustle day and night to keep alive, and we got used to seeing things get hurt and die. Death was sad, but we thought it inevitable. Some way we always knew that trouble was just around the corner, all the time, and when it came in spite of all we could do, we made the best of it.

"Nowadays, with all this coddling and sheltering, kids and older folks have it too easy. They make too much of things that don't count. Youngsters 'bellyache' when they can't go to a show and have to study their lessons. Then they screech if they don't pass. They expect some sort of pow-wow to save them."

I wonder just how far we have been traveling down the wrong road, or if we are on the wrong road at all. Children are being sheltered more and more each year. They meet up with trouble aplenty, of course. For childhood is not all happiness. The problems they have are just as serious to them as our own are to us. But are we conditioning them to meet their troubles?

A little boy's dog was killed. His mother concealed the fact. He hunted all over town for his stray pet. Another dog was found and given to the boy. He soon loved this dog as much as he had loved Spot. His mother said, "No doubt some farmer found him in his car. Spot would ride in anybody's car. And you know he loved the country so much. He is all right, so don't worry any more."

The Spartan Course

But another boy's mother did not try to cover up the fate of their spaniel. The children cried and ate no meals for a day or two, then gradually they got over it. They knew that Toby was dead and now death was accepted. Did their hearts ache too much? Should they have been spared their tears?

We used to see sickness and suffering at home. Now everyone goes to the hospital. Children see little of that. A good thing, too, for many reasons. Yet, will the results be an end of sympathy and the desire to help? And will the future mean that anyone who suffers will be put out of sight like the lepers of old? Is all pain to be kept out of sight as the years go by?

I am not answering anything, because I do not know. But my old friend set me to thinking. Life is real and life is earnest. It holds tragedy and trouble. Are children being hoaxed as to its realities? If so, they may suffer doubly some day.

A device to prevent pilots from landing when the wheels of his plane are not in position, automatically thumps the soles of his feet.

• Stamp News

Where Waterfall Spray Is Seen 70 Miles Away

FIRST warning of Victoria Falls that a traveler gets in Rhodesia is a huge cloud of spray rising a thousand feet to the heavens. On a clear day this spray may be visible as far as 70 miles distant.

Next comes the dull thundering roar of the falls which may be heard at least 10 miles away under perfect atmospheric conditions. At the falls proper the roar is deafening. For Victoria Falls, on the Zambesi river, are the world's greatest.

They are almost two and one-half times as high as the gigantic Niagara. It is estimated that enough water pours over the brink every second to supply every person in the United States with three quarts. The falls are believed to be about 400 feet high although geographers have never entirely agreed. There has been as much as a 43-foot difference in calculations.

But whatever the height there is no question of the power behind Victoria Falls. From its source to the falls the Zambesi rolls 800 miles. Counting its many tributaries the river covers in all more than 1700 miles. It is one of the four great rivers of the African continent, starting at an altitude of 5000 feet.

Victoria Falls are shown above on a current stamp of Southern Rhodesia.

• The Family Doctor

Condition of Stammering Improved When Treated Psychologically

People are frequently confused between stuttering and stammering. There is really no essential difference. Some have argued that stuttering is repeated use of phrases, whereas stammering involves blocking of speech. The effects are, however just about the same.

Attempts have been made frequently to teach other species besides man to speak, but only man has a brain sufficiently developed in its complexity for language. It must be remembered, as Stanley Cobb and E. M. Cole point out, that a hawk sees better than a man, a hound can smell more certainly, and a bat can hear much better.

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The brain of man has developed generally for more purposes than the brain of other species. However, even the brain of man has certain specialties. Seventy-five per cent of men are right-handed, the remaining 25 per cent are either left-handed or use each hand with equal facility. Tests have been made on all sorts of other species, which seem to show only that rats are sometimes right-handed and that crabs may also seem to be that way. Otherwise, however, lower species than man do not seem to have this development. Apparently one side of the brain of man, the left hemisphere, develops more than the right hemisphere.

There are many different theories as to the causes of speech disturbances. They have been considered from the point of view of the mechanism of the nerve-brain and muscle that is involved. Individuals who handle speech problems from this point of view have derived drills which involve speech training of the brain, the nerve and the muscles.

In training stutterers, practice was given with all sorts of sounds in an attempt to develop control of the brain mechanism. There seems to be evidence that in many instances such methods are helpful, but it is not always certain that it is the training that is responsible for the improvement rather than the psychologic suggestion associated with the training.

The other approach to this problem handled is as a disorder of the personality. According to this conception, the disturbed speech is a manifestation of some mental conflict, abnormal emotional state, or maladjustment to life. In treating the condition along such psychological lines attempts have been made to restore confidence by training the stutterer to master first sounds, words and speeches. His success is built up and, in many instances, the condition improved.

Experts in psycho-analysis endeavored by their technic to find out the specific difficulty from an emotional or mental point of view, and when the patient once understands this, the result is sometimes excellent.

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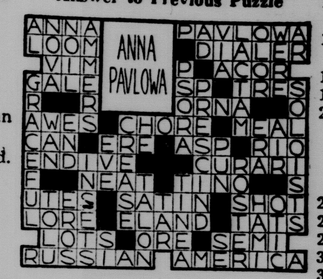
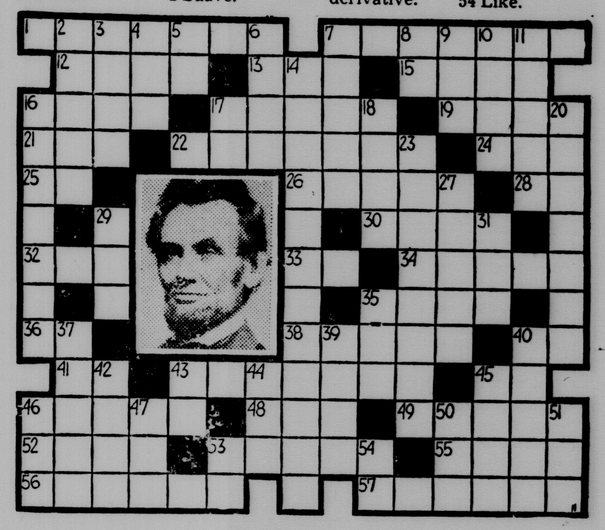
17 Horseflies.
19 Uniting tie.
21 Small hotel.
22 Church dignitary.
24 Stream.
25 Natural power
26 Quartz.
28 Chaos.
30 Uncommon.
32 Fairy.
33 Doctor.
34 Pertaining to a wall.
35 Pit.
36 Road.
38 Frugal.
40 Postscript.
41 Exists.
43 Inasmuch as.
45 Senior.
46 Garden flower.
48 Gnawed.
49 Procrastination.
52 Small wild ox.
53 Music drama.
55 To appraise.
56 He was a —— by profession.
57 He freed the ——.

VERTICAL

2 Suave.
3 To shower down.
4 Conjunction.
5 Masculine pronoun.
6 Hybrid of a horse.
7 Lawful.
8 North Carolina.
9 Taxi.
10 Smell.
11 Flax derivative.
14 He was a —— man.
16 He came from —— stock.
17 Credit.
18 To pother.
20 His debate with —— gave him national prominence.
23 Captivated.
27 Faithfully.
29 Astern.
31 Rather than.
35 Possesses.
37 Goddess of the moon.
39 Balker.
40 To chatter.
42 Winter precipitation.
43 Beside.
44 Beret.
45 Slovak.
46 Chum.
47 To remark.
50 Period.
51 Affirmative.
53 Either.
54 Like.

Answer to Previous Puzzle





• Flapper Fanny

By Sylvia

"I'll be right with you! I gotta practise for 15 minutes but I'll play fast."

• This Curious World

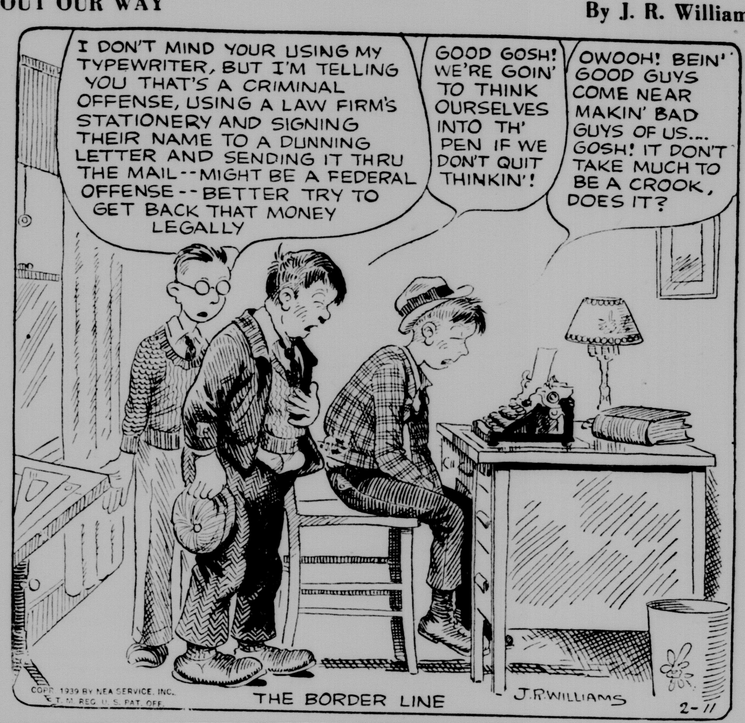
By William Ferguson

ANSWER: In northwestern Canada . . . not Alaska. It borders on Alaska and lies mostly south of the Klondike river, in he Yukon river basin.

NEXT: The world's largest moose antlers.

OUR BOARDING HOUSE . . with . . **MAJOR HOOPLE**

OUT OUR WAY By J. R. Williams



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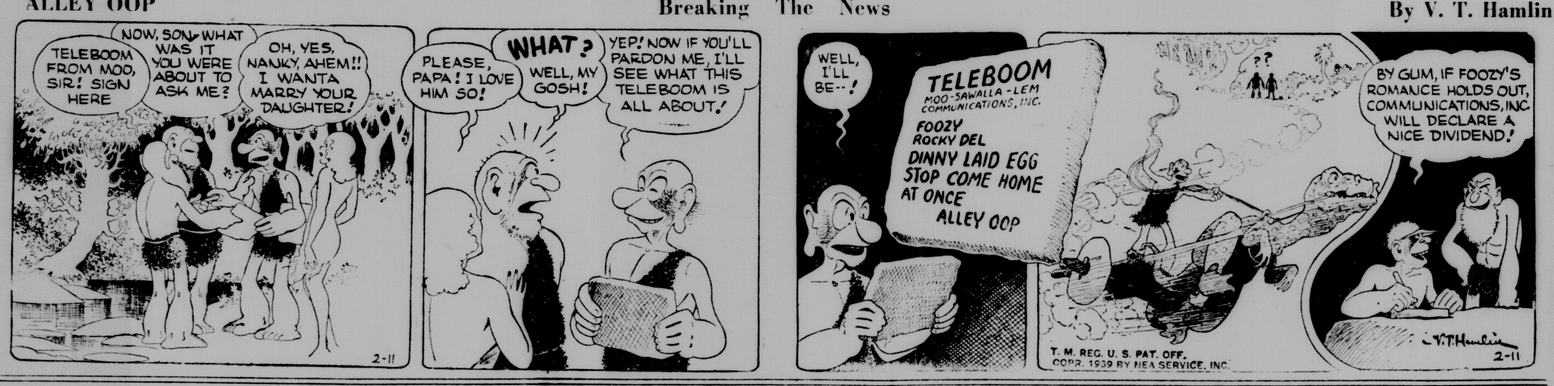

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I—Announcements

7—Personals

FOR NICER shoe repairing, Call 377. Wildes, 118 W. 3rd.

VAULTS CLEANED— Kindling for sale. 15-acre farm for rent. Some improvements. COHEN.

MEN OLD AT 40! GET PEP—New Ostrex Tonic Tablets contain raw oyster invigorator and other stimulants. One dose starts new pep Value $1.00. Special price 79c. Call, write Crown Cut-Rate Drug Stores and all good drug stores.

FOR NICER shoe repairing. Call 377. Wildes, 118 W. 3rd.

8—Religious and Social Events

EPWORTH M. E. church will have a creamed chicken dinner Thursday 11:00 and 5:00. Price 15c.

10—Strayed, Lost, Found

BOYS brown leather zipper jacket, gloves. Notify 905 S. Moniteau.

STRAYED—Yellow-white Tom cat. Reward $2.00. 1211 So. Ohio.

II—Automotive

11—Automobiles for Sale

1931 MODEL "A" pickup. Chevrolets, Fords and other cars from $60.00 up for cash. Bargain spot. 15th-Ohio. Decker Used Cars, Phone 2255.

13—Auto Accessories, Tires, Parts

BUY—From Mike where the price is right. One kind of regular gasoline at one price to all. Good used cars, trucks and auto parts. Help us help you save. Donahoe Auto Salvage and Service Station, 1419 So. 65 highway.

III—Business Service

18—Business Services Offered

FEED—Grinding, Hammer Mills, anywhere, any time. Earl Thomas. Phone 893.

FEED GRINDING—Mo. Portable Milling Service. O. A. Martens, 2007 S. Limit. Phone 3246.

VACUUM cleaner service and parts for any cleaner. Dust bags 89c. Burkholder Maytag Co., 109 S. Ohio. Phone 114.

20—Cleaning, Dyeing, Renovating

SUITS cleaned, pressed 60c. Alterations neatly done. Holmes, Phone 868.

22—Heating, Plumbing, Roofing

ROOFS
Roofing materials of all kinds and repairs quickly made. Hocker Roofing Co., 218 E. 2nd. Phone 997. "In business for 24 years."

23—Insurance and Surety Bonds

INSURE SAFELY—With Courtney. Phone 293.

26—Painting, Papering, Decorating

"61" Floor Varnish
Best for wear and weather. Dugans. Phone 142.

WALL PAPER
Make your selection early of our new 1939 papers. All the latest designs. Dugans, 116 E. 5th.

29—Repairing and Refinishing

PEABODY RADIO SERVICE—Tubes. Sedalia's oldest. 1319 S. Osage. Phone 854.

WASHER service, parts and wringer rolls for any washer. Free estimates. Burkholder Maytag Co., 109 S. Ohio. Phone 114.

29—Repairing and Refinishing

RADIO-REFRIGERATION- WASHER SERVICE. All makes. Dahlke, 634 E. 16th.

HAVE—Your fishing tackle repaired now, Dell, 509 E. 4th St.

IV—Employment

32—Help Wanted—Female

WAITRESS to work in cafe out of town. Write Box "V" Democrat.

EXPERIENCED girl, general house work, care of baby. Phone 2863, 1101 W. Broadway. J. L. Rosenthal.

GENERAL housework, strictly modern home, small family. Ironing only. References required. Must go home nights. Box "5" care Democrat.

IV—Employment
Continued—

32—Help Wanted—Female

YOUR OWN HOSIERY—and up to $22 a week selling famous DOUBLE-WEAR Snag-Proofed Chiffon silk hosiery to friends. Write for actual sample. American Mills, Dept. R6403, Indianapolis, Ind.

WANTED—Permanent representative for Hoover Uniforms, Smocks, Aprons, Frocks, nurses, doctors, waitresses Uniforms. Smartest styles. Finest quality. Exceptional commissions. Line FREE. Hoover, 251 W. 19th. St., Dept. 7412S, New York City.

33—Help Wanted—Male

AVAILABLE AT ONCE—Opportunity for 4 men or women with car, good selling record. Unlimited earnings. MONTGOMERY WARD.

WANTED—Man to sell Baker Products in established local territory. No cash investment. Car needed. For information write S. F. Baker and Co., Keokuk, Iowa.

ROUTE—Men wanted immediately who have a desire to get ahead in life and establish an independent retail business. Must have car and be between the ages of 25 and 55. No cash required. Write A. L. Lewis, Care The J. R. Watkins Company, Memphis, Tennessee.

AVAILABLE AT ONCE — Nearby Rawleigh Route. Good opportunity for man over 25 with car. Trade well established. Route experience helpful but not necessary. Write at once. Rawleigh's, Dept. MB-551-102, Freeport, Ill.

36—Situations Wanted—Female

EXPERIENCED in turkey and chicken raising. Interested in managing poultry farm. Phone 1516-J.

V—Financial

40—Money to Loan—Mortgages

LOANS—FARM—CITY—4½% to 5% Save 25% on your insurance. W. D. Smith, 307 Trust Bldg.

VII—Live Stock

48—Horses, Cattle, Other Stock

40 HEAD sheep. 5 miles southwest of La Monte. Snow Brothers.

FRESH COW—Extra good. Heavy milker. Ewing Lakin, north 65.

REGISTERED Hereford bulls. C. J. Fridley, Windsor, Mo. Phone 53F-51.

SALE—Milk goats, fresh; $10.00-$12.00. Elmer Marriott. Stover, Mo.

49—Poultry and Supplies

BABY CHICKS—See us before you buy. Also feeds and poultry supplies. Bagby Poultry Farm. Phone 975.

BABY CHICKS from Pettis County's finest egg strains. A new hatch off every Tuesday. Custom Hatching service available. In stock Purina Feed, Peet litter, Dr. Salisbury Poultry Health Products, and chick hardware items. Phone 3076 or call in person. Sedalia Chick Hatchery, 406 West Second..

VIII—Merchandise

51—Articles for Sale

HAMS—Shoulder, side, lard, sausage, beef and mutton. 1822 Ingram.

TYPEWRITERS SOLD, rented and repaired. Pelot, 111 E. 3rd. Phone 719.

HORSES—Late Fordson impulse starter, Lespedeza. Henry Hunt, Ionia, Mo.

FOR CHILI supplies, wholesale and retail, call I. Kanter, 118 E. Main. Phone 656.

51A—Barter and Exchange

GROCERY—Stock and fixtures of Georgetown store. Phone 75-F-21.

EXCHANGE—Cottage in Sedalia for live stock. Box 406, California, Mo.

GOOD used Farmall, or trade for livestock. Address "Farmall" care Democrat.

FOR SALE or Trade—For live stock. F-20 Farmall tractor and equipment, practically new. Terms. Box 126, Tipton.

55A—Farm Equipment

FOR SALE—1000 chick Symplex brooder. Phone 53F-13.

ALMOST new John Deere Tractor plow, disc, 1½ ton International truck. Benson, mile west Smithton, Highway 50.

56—Fuel, Feed, Fertilizers

RECLEANED Alsyke clover seed. P. D. Hudson, Smithton.

RECLEANED timothy seed and Columbia seed oats. Phone 24-F-5.

GOOD mixed hay $5.00 per ton. Delivered. Call 193.

RECLEANED—Alsike clover seed; white oak posts, Fulghum seed oats. K. K. Eichholz, Smithton, Mo.

FANCY Virginia soy beans. Home grown, $1.15 bu. Barnarr Bluhm, Smithton.

WINDSOR—Deep shaft; Higginsville coal. 75-F3.

GOOD mixed hay, $5.00 per ton. Delivered. Call 193.

WINDSOR coal $4.00 ton. Wood $4.50 cord. Phone 1045.

COAL—$4.00 ton; $3.80 ton by load. Blaue. Phone 7F-22.

COAL—Windsor lumps $4.00, Clinton $4.25, stoker $3.25. Phone 687.

WINDSOR SCREEN—Lump coal, $4.00 ton. Phone 2785.

COAL—Windsor Genuine Deep Shaft screened lump. $4.25 ton. Call C. T. McGee.

VIII—Merchandise
Continued—

OAK and hickory wood; well seasoned. Extra good, also nice kindling cut for stove. Phone 1540.

LESPEDEZA seed, 4c pound. Timothy $1.50 bu. Timothy hay $7.00 ton. E. M. Green, Hughesville.

PENCE COAL—Screened lump, no clinkers. Equals Illinois or Kansas. Only Pence coal delivered in Sedalia. $5.00 ton cash. Pence Coal Co., Phone 317.

Rail Shipped
OLD CROWE LUMP
Missouri's Best
$4.00
Swearingen Coal Co.
419 E. 10th Phone 522

57—Good Things To Eat

BIRTHDAY CAKES — Wade's Bake Shop. 516 So. Ohio. Phone 577.

81-A—Wanted to Lease

GOOD well improved farm suitable for dairy. Phone 6139.

59—Household Goods

TRADE-IN RADIOS — Mantel and consoles. Special $2.00 to $10.00. MONTGOMERY WARD.

CHANCE OF A LIFE TIME, others loss your gain. Just repossessed a housefull of furniture, all in excellent condition. Save ½ or more. Come in and see these bargains. No phone calls. Montgomery Ward.

63—Seeds, Plants, Flowers

FOR STARKS trees and shrubs call 862 J. M. James.

PLENTY — Strawberry plants this year 50c per hundred. Fresh dug when you want them. Nightingale, West 16th st. road, Route 3. Phone 5-F-5.

65—Wearing Apparel

LADY'S sport coat. Large size. Phone 4067.

66—Wanted—To Buy

OLD FASHIONED ring baby walker. Phone 3671-J.

STOVES—And furniture. Callies Furniture Co. Phone 412.

WANTED—Sectional book cases in good condition. Call Sedalia Democrat.

WE PAY CASH FOR GOOD USED FURNITURE, RUGS AND STOVES. PEOPLES FURNITURE STORE. PHONE 329.

NICE CLEAN LARGE LIGHT WEIGHT COTTON RAGS FOR WIPING MACHINERY
Will pay 5c per pound.
Bring to Democrat Office.

IX—Rooms and Board

68—Rooms Without Board

MODERN—Sleeping rooms 322 W. 7th st. Phone 2245.

STRICTLY MODERN room, private home, garage. Reasonable. Phone 1274.

$2.00 Week
Milner Hotel
Under New Management
Guest Laundry Free
2nd & Lamine

69—Rooms for Housekeeping

2 FURNISHED housekeeping rooms; also 2 unfurnished rooms. No children. 615 W. 2nd.

X—Real Estate For Rent

74—Apartments and Flats

2 ROOMS furnished. Inquire 2111 E. Broadway.

5 ROOM cottage. 1009 E. 10th. $10.00 month. Phone 1301.

APARTMENT—611 W. 4th. Heat and water furnished. Private bath.

5 ROOMS and bath. Newly decorated. 608½ Ohio. Inquire within.

FOR RENT — Downstairs furnished apartment. Phone 2253.

2 UNFURNISHED rooms, bath, lights, water. $10.00. 203 W. Broadway.

3 ROOM modern apartment. Furnished with heat. 413 E. 7th.

3 ROOM unfurnished apartment, with bath. Reasonable. 620 W. 5th.

APARTMENT—611 W. 4th. Heat and water furnished. Private bath.

QUINCY apartments B-4. Five room modern apartment. Steam heat. Phone 2928-J. 314 W. 6th St.

TO COUPLE—Choice modern furnished south apartment. Garage. 1302 Osage.

BUNGALOW apartment. West 3rd, strictly modern. Inquire 510 West 6th.

5 ROOM upper apartment. Well furnished. Radio, Frigidaire, garage. $30.00. 411 E. 5th.

FURNISHED kitchenette apartment. Lights, water paid, $10.00. 412 West 7th.

QUINCY apartments B-4. Five room modern apartment. Steam heat. Phone 2928-J. 314 W. 6th St.

DEAN APARTMENTS—1 and 4-room effficiency furnished or unfurnished. Heat, water, garage, Kelvinator, janitor service. Phone 1597.

XI—Real Estate For Sale

75—Business Places For Rent

SHY FARM 2½ miles southwest Otterville. See Ed Ferguson, La Monte.

XI—Real Estate for Sale
Continued—

TO LEASE—Desirable store room. Heat furnished. 7th and Ohio. Phone 4067.

SEVERAL houses, available at once. W. O. Stanley.

5-ROOM—House, 3 lots, water, lights, garage. Call 871.

6 ROOM house near high school. Double garage. Phone 1198.

77—Houses for Rent

RENT—5 room house, furnished, partly modern, 1721 S. Harrison.

5 ROOMS modern except heat. 1227 So. Stewart. Phone 1057-W.

78—Offices and Desk Room

80—Suburban, Country for Rent

SUBURBAN home, west side, acre tract, fruit, garden. Phone 2354.

83—Farms and Land for Sale

94 ACRES—¾ mile from city limits on South 65. Phone 92-F2.

70 ACRE farm 6 miles west on Main street road. Plenty water, well improved. F. H. Schumacher.

OR TRADE—For city property, two 40 acre farms, near small town, price $650 each, $150 down, balance $10 per month. 57 acres including equipment Kent D. Johnson, phone 3740.

84—Houses for Sale

3 FRESH Jersey cows, calves by side. 1216 S. Sneed.

SALE—2 houses partly modern. Inquire 1301 East 9th.

MODERN 5 room house, bath basement and garage. 700 E. Broadway.

5 ROOM house on paved street with basement, lights and water. West side. Phone 3123.

SEMI-SUBURBAN tract 180x300 feet, west. 5 room bungalow, lights, city water available, plenty fruit. Ideal place for cow, chickens, garden. Bungalow 6 rooms, modern, first class shape, convenient East side location. E. H. McLaughlin, Salesman Porter Real Estate Company.

FINE modern 6-room bungalow, located at 1211 South Barrett. This house is equipped with venetian blinds, fireplace with radiant gas heater, hardwood floors, glass inclosed breakfast room, French doors, inlaid linoleum. All mentioned improvements to go with house. Very reasonable. Phone 1517.

87—Suburban, Country for Sale

5 ACRES—Modern house, good out buildings, no city taxes. 2349.

89—To Exchange—Real Estate

WANTED—Listings on 5 and 6 room modern houses for sale. Donnohue Loan and Inv. Co.

XII—Auctions—Legals

91—Legal Notices

NOTICE OF CHATTEL MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of certain indebtedness described in and secured by a chattel mortgage executed by F. E. Romig, in favor of John Deere Plow Company, of Kansas City, Missouri, dated the 20th day of May 1930 and the 10th day of March 1930, and of which a true copy was duly filed of record in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds of Pettis County, Missouri, John Deere Plow Company will, on the 25th day of February, 1939 at the hour of one o'clock P. M. of said day, and at Sedalia Implement Company, in Sedalia, Missouri, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, and to satisfy said chattel mortgage described, to wit:

One General Purpose Tractor Serial No. 215938.
One G-P 201 Cultivator.

Said property will be at the place of sale and may be inspected by prospective bidders.

JOHN DEERE PLOW COMPANY,
By A. H. Gilkeson, Collector.

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One 40 C Tractor Plow 14 inch.
One 716 Tandem Disc.

Said property will be at the place of sale and may be inspected by the prospective bidders.

JOHN DEERE PLOW COMPANY.
By A. H. Gilkeson, Collector.

Answers to Cranium Cracker

Questions on Comic Page

1. False. A pediatrician is a children's doctor.
2. False. The capital of Switzerland is Berne.
3. False. Embonpoint is stoutness.
4. True. Elias Howe invented the sewing machine.
5. True. Croesus was known for his wealth.

An average driver needs 1000 feet of road distance and 10 seconds of time to pass the car ahead traveling at 50 miles an hour. At 30 miles, cars require from 450 to 650 feet.

Cattle and Grain Market

Buying Holds Wheat Steady

CHICAGO, Feb. 11.—(AP)—Light pre-holiday evening-up buying held wheat prices fairly steady today and at times fractions higher. The close was unchanged to ¼ cent up.

Aided by a good demand for cash wheat, the market overcame a lower opening, weakness in other world markets, lack of export demand and weather reports that generally were construed as being more favorable to the domestic winter wheat crop. There was some fear, however, damage has been caused by the recent variable weather.

Wheat closed unchanged to ¼ cent up, May and July 67⅝c to 67¾c; corn unchanged to ¼ cent up, May 48¼c to 48⅝c, July 49½c to 49⅝c; oats ⅛ cent down; soy beans ⅝ cent up; rye ⅛ to ½ cent down; lard unchanged to 2 cents up.

Corn followed wheat, starting about steady, sagging and rising in the closing minutes.

Oats were fractions lower in a light trade. Houses with northwestern connections were believed buying May and selling September oats at 1¼ cent difference. Rye held steady.

Lard was steady to slightly higher, aided by a steady cotton seed oil market and prospects of moderate hog receipts next week.

Stocks Rally To Fraction Higher

NEW YORK, Feb. 11—(AP)—Stocks shook off some of their indecision in today's market and jogged into a rally that lifted favorites fractions to more than a point. There were a few wider swings.

While dealings were a bit livelier, they were still far from being volminous.

Transfers for the two hours totalled 322,070 shares, the smallest turnover for any Saturday since last August 20. The week's activity was the lowest since September 10.

The Associated Press average of 60 issues succeeded in retaining a net advance of .4 of a point at 50.3, despite profit selling near the close. On the week this composite was off .1 of a point.

Brokerage quarters had no more concrete reasons for the day's comeback than for the recent slides.

In part, the recovery was attributed to short covering by traders who wished to shelve commitments over the lengthy holiday. The stock exchange will be closed Monday for the commemoration of Lincoln's birthday.

Wall Street also seemed a trifle less apprehensive over foreign affairs, and business indicators, including improvement in the steel and motor fields and retail store sectors, were thought to have inspired some buying in pivotal shares.

Secondary rails and utilities led the bond department on a forward tilt. Dealings, though, were about as indifferent as in the stock division, sales being the smallest since last November.

Commodities were uneven. Wheat and corn at Chicago were unchanged to up ¼ of a cent a bushel. Cotton was off 5 to 40 cents a bale.

Securities at Amsterdam, only important overseas market open today, pointed higher. Sterling and the French franc were unchanged on the day, the former at $4.68⅝ and the latter at 2.64¾ cents.

Stocks got off to a good start Monday with the utilities hitting new highs since last September in response to the announcement of the deal between the Commonwealth and Southern and the TVA which revived hope in financial circles of greater cooperation between government and business. It was the only day in the week when the turnover topped 1,000,000 shares.

The market fell back Tuesday. Wednesday witnessed another, upward swing. A relapse was suffered Thursday on extremely light trading, and the list see-sawed Friday.

Closing Of Leading Stocks

	Close Fri.	Close Sat.
American & For. Power	3¼	3⅛
American Smelt. & Ref.	44⅜	44½
American Tel. & Tel.	156¾	157
American Tobacco "B"	86¼	86¼
Anaconda Copper	28⅞	29⅛
Atchison T. & S. F.	34⅝	35
Auburn Auto	—	—
Bethlehem Steel	67½	68½
Chicago & Northwestern	¾	¾
Chrysler	74⅝	75¾
Curtis-Wright	6⅞	7⅛
Curtis-Wright A	27⅛	27¼
Du Pont De Nem.	148¾	149¼
Eastman Kodak	174	174
General Electric	40¼	40½
General Motors	48	48⅜
Int. Harvester	57¾	58
International Shoe	34¾	35
Int. Tel. & Tel.	8⅝	8⅝
Kennecott Copper	36½	36⅞
Libby, NcN, & Libby	5¼	—
Ligg. & Myers Tob. "B"	106¼	106½
Loose-Wiles Biscuit	—	—
Mid. Cont. Pet.	14¾	—
Missouri Kansas Texas	1⅜	—
Missouri Pacific	—	—
Montgomery Ward	49½	50
Nash-Kelvinator	7⅞	7⅞
National Cash Reg. "A"	22¾	—
North American	24¾	25
Packard	4	4⅛
Phillips Pet.	39½	39½
Purity Baking	13¼	13¾
Radio Corp. of America	7	7
Sears-Roebuck	71	71½
Skelly Oil	23½	24
Standard Oil of Ind.	26⅞	27
Studebaker	7¼	7⅛
Swift and Co.	18⅞	18⅞
U. S. Steel	58⅜	59⅜
Westinghouse E. & Mfg.	107	110

Few Leaders Upon the Curb

	Close Fri.	Close Sat.
American Light and T.	15¾	—
Arkansas Nt. Gas.	—	2⅞
Arkansas Nat. Gas. A	3	3⅛
Assoc. G. and El., A	⅞	—
Cities Service	8⅞	8½
Cities Service pf.	46	46
Eagle Pich. Lead	11½	11¾
El. Bond and Sh.	11¼	11½
Ford M. Can. A	—	—
Ford Mot. Ltd.	3¾	3¾
Gulf Oil	36¼	36
Nat. Bel. Hess	—	½
Standard Oil Ky.	18⅛	—

Poultry and Egg Market

(Furnished By Swift and Co.)

The following prices delivered Sedalia for good quality poultry—free of eed. No. 2 poultry paid for at market value.

Heavy hens	12c
Leghorn hens	10c
Heavy stags	10c
Light stags	8c
Heavy cox	7c
Leghorn cox	5c
Eggs, No. 1	13c
Eggs, No. 2	11c
No. 1 butterfat	22c
No. 2 butterfat	20c

Chicago Grain Table

WHEAT—

	High	Low	Close Sat.	Close Fri.
May	.67¾	.67¼	.67⅝	.67½
July	.67¾	.67¼	.67⅝	.67½
Sep.	.68⅝	.63	.68½	.68⅜
CORN—				
May	.48⅝	.47¾	.48¼	.48⅛
July	.49⅝	.49⅛	.49½	.49½
Sep.	.50⅛	.49⅝	.50⅞	.50
OATS—				
May	.27⅝	.27½	.27⅝	.27¾
July	.26½	.26½	.26½	.26⅜
Sep	.26⅜	.26¼	.26¼	.26⅜
RYE—				
May	.45	.44⅝	.44⅞	.44¾
July	.45¾	.45⅜	.45¾	.45¼
Sep.	.26⅜	.26¼	.26¼	.26⅜
SOYBEANS—				
May	—	—	.79¾	.79⅜
July	.79¾	.79	.79¾	—
Oct.	.74	.74	.74	—

General Livestock Dealers
Want some stock pigs not treated around 75 lbs. Also some good quality stock calves around 350 lbs. Call or write
FRICKE-RUSSELL
Phone 657 Mo. Pac. Stockyards

FOR SALE
80 acres 3½ miles from Sedalia. Good 4 room house with bath, full basement, good outbuildings. Will consider a piece of city property as part payment.
Wm. H. Carl, Real Estate Loans and Insurance.
309 So. Ohio Phone 291

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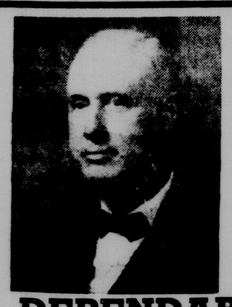

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1 Walking Cultivator.
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1 Pair Furrow Openers.
1 Frame Binder, 8 ft.
1 Wood Saw, 6 H. Engine.
1 Pump Pulling Outfit.
1 Pitcher Pump.
1 Cream Separator.
1 Iron Wheel Wagon with new box
1 Set Harness.
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Timely News Items From Central Missouri Towns

• Lincoln

(By Maye Messersith)

The county board meeting of the O. P. F. A. was held last Saturday at the McMurdo school building, with the PierceMcMurdo club as hostess. Members present from the Lincoln club were Mrs. F. W. Schenewark, Mrs. J. O. Love, Mrs. Ivy Mothersbaugh, Mrs. Harvey T. Berry, Mrs. C. C. Hare, Mrs. H. H. Rank and Mrs. Henry Lumpe. Mrs. Will Wischfeier who resides in town but is a member of the Pierce-McMurdo club, also attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard V. Owens and daughter, Kay, spent Sunday in Versailles as the guests of Rev. W. W. Gibbany, who preached at that place that day. Mr. Owens sang for the church services while there.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Laird are parents of a daughter, born last Thursday, February 2. The infant weighed 10 pounds.

Mrs. Herbert Moelleman of Cole Camp and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lumpe were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lumpe Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Berry and son of Ionia, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey T. Berry last Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. George Stanfield and daughter, June, visited Mrs. Virginia Stanfield in Windsor Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Anthony and baby of Sedalia, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth M. Henry from Thursday night until Saturday morning. They also attended the Woodman supper while here.

Mr. and Mrs. William Lumpe, of Cole Camp, visited here Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Earl S Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. George Larimore and son Jim K. of Windsor, visited here Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Roark and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Henry and son and W. A. Owen were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Austin near Tightwad.

Miss Gertrude Lockard spent this week in Bolivar.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. McFarland and family were guests Sunday evening of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. McFarland of Windsor.

Miss Mary Orr Nixon who teaches at Metz, in Vernon County, spent the week end here with her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Williams and daughter spent Sunday in Warsaw with Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Davis.

Mrs. Fannie Mothersbaugh of Windsor, visited here from Tuesday to Thursday with her daughter, Mrs. H. B. Lynch. She went on to Sedalia with her son, Ross, for a brief visit, returning here Sunday with her son's wife and son, and they visited in the Sunnyside neighborhood with a son and brother, Floyd Mothersbaugh and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lumpe spent Sunday in Warsaw with Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Lumpe and family.

Mrs. Vena Sckhoff left last Friday for Appleton City where she plans to reside.

J. B. Calbert attended the funeral of John Gilmore in Cole Camp last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Boehmer and daughter spent Sunday afternoon in Cole Camp with Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Eckhoff.

Charles Clyman was at Forthview from Saturday morning until Sunday.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Berry last Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hunt and son, Le Roy, of Windsor, Ben Bryant and son, Claude, of Cole Camp, and Rev. C. C. Russell of Bolivar.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lumpe and daughter of Cole Camp were dinner guests Sunday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Carl C. Lumpe and Miss Audrey Ball.

Miss Anne Wisdom Humphrey of Kansas City spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Wisdom.

Mrs. H. A. Nixon, Mrs. S. O. Brill, Mrs. Harry Stober and Mrs. J M Allgaier attended a meeting of their garden club held in the home of Mrs T. H. Aulgur of Sedalia last Friday.

Mrs. J. B. List returned last Sunday from St. Louis where she had visited with her brother, Erich Rotermund and family, and others.

Mr. and Mrs. George Roberts, two sons and a daughter, visited Sunday and until Monday morning with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clyman and Mrs. Mabel Clyman.

Rev. W. W. Gibbany of Jefferson City was here last Monday morning calling on Miss Glenn Dell Carpenter as he was en route to Springfield on business.

Mrs. Emma Baley and son, Bert Baley of Sedalia, visited here Sunday with Mrs. Maggie Johnson and others.

Mrs. James Case, son Jimmie and Miss Hazel Yach spent Sunday in Sedalia with Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Neas and sons.

Walter Scott, of Stover, spent Sunday here with his mother, Mrs. Mary Scott, who is quite ill. His wife, who has been with Mrs. Scott for a week, went home with him, planning to return here in a few days.

• La Monte

(By Mrs. R. E. Kerby)

Mrs. C. B. Orahood left Thursday for Harrison, Ark., being called there by the illness of her mother, Mrs. U. G. Coker.

Mrs. Charles Garner, of Sedalia, visited Friday with Mrs. Floyd McKeehan and family.

Mrs. Virgil Hansbrough returned Friday from Sweet Springs where she has been helping care for her father since Sunday. His condition is unimproved.

A message received here conveyed information of the passing of Mrs. Lucy Pace at her home in Springdale, Ark., on February 3. Mrs. Pace is survived by two daughters and one son, Mrs. Ethel Vard, of New Mexico, and Mrs. Lula Jasper, Springdale, Ark., and William J. Pace, of Kansas City, also a brother and two sisters, Walter Pace and Mrs. P. S. Craig of La Monte, and Mrs. Cora Shaw, of Otterville. Burial was in Springdale.

Dale Clingan, who has a position in Kansas City, spent Sunday with home folks.

Odiemae McKeehan entertained the eighth grade students with a Valentine party at her home Thursday night. The evening was spent in various games after which refreshments were served to the following: Velva Rose Keller, Betty Gale Davidson, Mae Cook, Myra Jean Bobbitt, Virginia Reynolds, Lola Hall, Delores Convis, Lorraine Mantlo, Jo Ann Marshall, Norma Lee Murray, Bobby Howard, George Guthrie, Warren Hintz, Miss Wilma Witcher, Miss Margaret Felt and Mrs. Lewis Patton.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Reynolds and daughter, Virginia, and Mrs. Reynolds' brother, Lennis Hainline, were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Wharton and family.

Mrs. W. A. Sullivan and son, Bernard, of Sedalia, visited Thursday with the former's sister, Miss Maggie Sullivan, and brother, Jerry Sullivan.

Members of the intermediate league of the Methodist church enjoyed a picture show at the Liberty theatre in Sedalia, Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Foy Wade and son, billy, of Kansas City, spent the week end at the home of his mother, Mrs. Anna Wade. The condition of Mrs. Wade, who has been ill the past few weeks, shows improvement.

Mr. and Mrs. William McCredie, of Montserrat, visited Monday evening with her brother, Virgil Hansbrough, and Mrs. Hansbrough.

Irwin and Orville Lehmer, who have been working in Arkansas, arrived Friday night for a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Lehmer.

Mr. and Mrs. George Mahin entertained with three tables at bridge at their home Friday evening. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Littlefield, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Wharton, Mrs. Etta Reavis, Mrs. Lena Rogers, Mrs. Mary Patton, Kenneth Rogers, Guy Berry and Bert Means.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Curry and Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Dill went to Cocker Sunday where they visited Mrs. Curry's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Salveter.

Mrs. I. A. Cross has returned from a week's wisit with her daughter, Mrs. S. E. Haynes, and family in Kansas City. She also visited Mrs. S. C. Connor, who has been seriously ill, but who is now improved.

Mrs. Charles Wolfe, of Clinton, visited from Saturday to Tuesday wih her mother, Mrs. Alice Landes, and sister, Mrs. Lena Rogers.

Mr. and Mrs. Asbury Hall, of Sedalia. visited Sunday with Mrs. A. W. Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Martin returned Sunday from Oklahoma where they were summoned through a message apprising them of the death of a nephew of Mrs. Martin.

The women's council of the Christian church met at the parsonage in an all-day meeting Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Craig, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wellman and Mrs. Mary Craig, visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Ruffin near Windsor.

Mrs. R. A. Conner returned Tuesday from Fullerton, Calif., where she spent the past two months visiting with her nieces, Mrs. W. T. Watson and Mrs. Gladys Ayres.

The Sons of Wesley and Character Builders of the Methodist church enjoyed a Valentine party Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Mahin with Mesdames P. S. Craig, J. L. Staples Lloyd Hahin as hostesses. The social hour was in charge of Mrs. Ella Hathburn after which refreshments were served to fifty-one guests.

Mrs. Ella Rathburn visited from Friday until Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Millard Edmonson and family, of Green Ridge.

A new "plastic" process for building airplane fuselage recently enabled a manufacturer to build a fuselage for a five-passenger ship in two hours and 35 minutes.

• Clifton City

(By Mrs. Add Johnson)

Mrs. Virgil Quint was hostess to the Clifton City Homemakers club. Twenty-two members and two guests, Mrs. N. B. Wallace and Mrs. Ethel Griffin were present. An apron demonstration was given by Mrs. Herschell Smith. At noon lunch was served, each member contributing to the repast. A drill on parliamentary procedure was given by Mrs. Vest Streit after which Mrs. Add Johnson, chairman of the yard improvement plan, and home beautification had charge of the program assisted by Mrs. C. A. Higdon. The March meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Will Bidstrup with Mrs. John Streit and Mrs. S. F. Hussey leaders.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Smith, of Sedalia, visited here Saturday with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. Harve Ellis. Another daughter, Mrs. Asa Bishop, and Mr. Bishop, of Otterville, visited in this home Sunday. Mrs. Ellis has been ill.

Walter Beel suffered several cuts and bruises when a horse he was riding in a pasture fell. Unconscious for a time he was given emergency treatment then taken to the Bothwell hospital in Sedalia.

Logan Siegel and family motored to near Florence Sunday where they joined other relatives in celebration of F. W. Siegel's seventy-fourth birthday anniversary. The event was a surprise on Mr. Seigel and his children, except one daughter, Mrs. Hampy, were among the guests. A sumptuous repast, all contributing, was served.

Mrs. Willie Todd, accompanied by Mrs. Harry Needy, motored to Fulton Friday and were accompanied home by Mrs. Todd's daughter. Maxine, a student there in the school for the deaf.

Miss Elaine Young recently returned hom from a visit of several days in Columbia with an uncle, Lawrence Young, and also with Alphonso Twenter and family.

Jack Potter, of this place, accompanied by his aunt, Mrs. Ollie Streit, left for Houston, Texas. He contemplates entering Rice University.

Mrs. Junior Edwards, who has been ill, was taken to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Kahrs on East Sixth street, Sedalia,, where she has been improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wilson entertained the Arator Homemakers and their families at her home. Games were enjoyed and refreshments served.

• California

(By Mrs. J. E. Zey)

Charles P. Burlingame, 65, died at his home south of here Monday after an illness of nearly two years. He was born at Olean, Mo., February 25, 1874. He was a lifelong member of the Methodist church. He was married February 10, 1904 to Miss Angie Pruitt. To this union were born seven children, three having preceded their father in death. Besides the wife he is survived by the following children: Sergeant Kenneth Burlingame, Montgomery, Ala., Mrs. Raymond Barbour, of California, Mo., Philip and Alice of the home. He is also survived by the following brothers and sisters, Hubert Burlingame, of Warrensburg, Napoleon Burlingame, of Pacific Grove, California, Joseph Burlingame, of Pasadena, Calif., Mrs. May Senior, of Leavenworth, Kas., Mrs. Margaret Moore, of Kansas City, and Mrs. Minnie Gausse of Ossawatomie, Kas. Funeral services were held at the Friendship church, being conducted by Rev. H. A. Wood.

Mrs. J. B. White received a message appraising her of the death of her nephew, Harry Duvenick, 57 years old, who passed away in Kentucky. He was the eldest son of H. L. Duvenick, formerly of this place. Surviving besides his father are three brothers, Ralph, of New York City, Sam, of Iola, Kas., Thomas, of Joplin, and a sister, Mrs. Jack Ball, of Webb City, Mo.

Mrs. Chris Wolfrum, 86 years old, passed away at her home near Billingsville. She was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Blank. Funeral services were held here at the Evangelical church the Rev. J. C. Bierbaum officiating.

Johnny Zey and Eddie Strother, of Janesville, Wis., are here for a visit with relatives.

Mrs. William James has returned to her home in St. Louis following caring for her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Weller.

Mrs. S. C. Gill has returned from a visit in Texas and Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Gallagher, of Belle, Mo., visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Gallagher for several days.

In 1928, there were 5000 airplanes and approximately 5000 pilots in the United States. Today there are 11,000 planes, more than 21,000 licensed pilots and about 38,000 licensed students.

• Warsaw

H. R. Foley of Buckner was here Saturday looking after his interest at Foley's Ranch. Mr. and Mrs. Foley left Monday for a two weeks vacation in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Close of Green Ridge spent Sunday here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Freeman. Mrs. Close remained for a longer stay because of the illness of her father.

The Royal Neighbor Lodge met last Wednesday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Huston Johnson near Fristoe. At the noon hour a dinner was served, cafeteria style, to which all contributed. The Oracle, Mrs. Mattie Short, had charge of the business meeting. The afternoon was spent in pleasant conversation and tacking a quilt for the hostess. Fourteen members and guests were present.

Mrs. M. M. Freund and children Geneva and Clayton spent Saturday with Mrs. Freund's sisters, Misses Fannie and Josephine Johnson.

Arnold Dyer who recently was promoted to manager of the Missouri Public Service Co., office at Blairstown, spent the week end here with his mother, Mrs. Leroy Dyer. He will also have charge of the Urich and Clinton service.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Schlaffer of Sedalia spent Sunday here in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Hirsch and family.

Miss Fern Halley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Halley, of Hogles Creek vicinity, and Elvin Hubbs, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harley Hubbs of near Racket, were united in marriage Saturday at Clinton, by Rev. Baker. The bride attended the Warsaw school for two years and the groom graduated from the Warsaw high school in the class of 1937. After the ceremony was performed they returned to the home of the bride's parents where a reception and charivari was given them Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Reid went to Nevada Sunday to take his mother, Mrs. J. W. Reid, who has been visiting them for the past week, to visit another son, John Reid.

Mrs. Lelo Newkirk and son, Jimmy spent last week in Jefferson City, guests of the Rolla Ashinhurst and Sennett Lauffler families.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Phillips went to Springfield last Saturday afternoon where they were guests of her daughter, Mrs. Edmund Schneider and Mr. Schneider and children, Eleanor and Eddie. They attended a private music recital Saturday evening given by the Schneider children.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas McCarty and daughter, Georgia Lou, entertained with a 6 o'clock dinner at their home Sunday evening. Guests were his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde McCarty and son, Clyde, Jr., Mr. Saylor and Louise Kirby.

The King's Daughters Sunday school class of the Warsaw Baptist church met last Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. T. A. Reid for its monthly Bible study. Mrs. R. B. Petts had charge of the lesson, which was a study of Daniel. Eighteen members were present.

Mrs. James Boring and daughter Kathleen spent the week end in Columbia with their daughter and sister. Miss Eloise Boring, who is a student at Missouri University.

Clyde McCarty, Jr., entertained the Stag Bridge Club Monday evening at his home. Delicious refreshments were served and high score favor awarded to Gene Bibb and consolation to E. R. Scott.

The McCormick Book Club met Monday evening at the home of Mrs. E. T. Robbins, for the regular meeting. Mrs. V. A. Lundquist reported on the book, "Young Man With a Horn."

Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Wagoner and son, Billy were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Eoff.

Smith Iiams of Jefferson City spent the week end here with his mother and sister, Mrs. Elsie Iiams and Miss Gladys Iiams. Guests in the Iiams home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. George Roth and James Hill of Moberly, Dr. and Mrs. Harry Phillips and Mr. and Mrs. Hoover of Warrensburg.

The following from here attended the Youth Crusade Rally held at the Methodist church, South, in Sedalia, Wednesday evening: Rev. and Mrs. Wagoner, Jas. R. Boring, Francis Elliott, Margaret Ann Bennett, Georgia Lou McCarty, Kathleen Boring, Louise Kirby, Marjorie Short, Vida Cunningham, Ruth Blackwell, Ruth See, Wilma and Bonnie Foster, Ethel Riddle, Blanche Grissam, Mrs. Clyde McCarty, Merton Short, Billy Wagoner, Quintin Breshears and John Conrick. A quartet composed of Marjorie Short, Vida Cunningham, Billy Wagoner and John Conrick sang, "Go Down Moses," with Louise Kirby at the piano.

Mrs. Jake Hammond died at her home here Tuesday morning, after a long illness. She leaves her husband and nine children. Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Turkey Chapel Chapel, conducted by Rev. C. R. Storer. Interment was in the cemetery.

• Knob Noster

Mrs. Earl Sappington gave a party at her home Monday afternoon in honor of the fourth birthday anniversary of her daughter, Dorothy Louise. Table decorations were pink and green. Refreshments were served to the following: Janest McMeekin, Warrensburg, Wauneeta and Calvin Foster, Marilyn, Alan T., and Billy Dexter Richeson and Marjorie Kelly. Dorothy Louise received a number of nice gifts. Mrs. Sappington was assisted in entertaining by Mrs. E. A. Sappington, Mrs. W. V. Richeson and Mrs. McMeekin.

Mrs. W. V. Richeson entertained the members of the Swastika club at her home Thursday with a 1:30 o'clock dinner. Table decorations were pink and white with a pink heart shaped cake centering the table. The afternoon was pleasantly spent in needlework.

Robert Herr, scoutmaster, gave a dinner Monday night in the basement of the Baptist church to 22 scouts and members of the local committee celebrating the first anniversary of the local organization. Committee members present were Louis F. Lay, S. W. Wenger, Richard Thurston, Dr. G. W. Grove and Dan Saults, also the district secretary, W. J. Carr, and the neighborhood commissioner L. D. Jahn. Scouts present were: Bobby Ed Carr, James Kelly, Walter Elweil, Gordon Slusher, Billy Kerby, Arthur Elwell, Billy Blum, Roy Blaylock, George Nichols, Emery Blum, John L. Beatty, Nick and Neal Zink, Ralph Henderson, Kenneth Williams, Frank Funk, Leo Ray, Kenneth Winfrey, Melvin Williams, Spencer Neighbors, Elmer Bulm, and Zink Elwell. Following the dinner the board of review was given for Frank Funk and Arthur Elwell and the advancement ceremony for Melvin Williams.

Mrs. C. A. Bradshaw and daughter, Norma Jean, of Detroit, who have been visiting her sister, Mrs. S. L. Easley and family left Tuesday for Curryville where she is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Bradley.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Wiedeman, of Kansas City, are parents of a daughter born Tuesday morning, February 6, at the Research hospital. Mrs. Wiedemann was formerly Miss Inez Kelly, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jay Kelly.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Wimer entertained a group of friends at dinner at their home on Saturday evening, February 4. The menu and decorations were appropriate to the Valentine season. Following the dinner the guests played Chinkerchecks. Mrs. Russell Kendrick and Charles T. Covey received favors for taking the most games. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Lay, Dr. and Mrs. Ray Kelly, Mr. and Mrs. Forest Kendrick, Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Utley, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Kendrick, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Woody. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Covey. Mrs. Eugene Dritt, of California, Dorothy, Marjorie Helen and Mary Elizabeth Wimer, assisted their mother in entertaining the guests.

The ladies' aid society of the Christian church held its regular meeting at the church Thursday. Mrs. Harry Nichols led the devotionals and Mrs. John Adcock, the president, was in charge of the business session. A luncheon was served to the twelve present.

Mrs. Hettie Jones and daughter, Miss Bess, entertained with a dinner at their home Sunday following: Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Jones and daughter, Martha, of Glasgow, Mrs. G. B. Shivel, of Coffeyville, Kas., Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Jones and daughters, Christine and Hester, and sons, W. C. and Eldon, also John Hunter.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Shafer and daughter, Joyce Ann, enjoyed Sunday with Mrs. Shafer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Phelps, in Chilhowee.

Mrs. Earl Sappington, Mrs. W. V. Richeson and Mrs. Russell Kendrick were Sedalia shoppers Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. William Wampler north of Knob Noster, celebrated their sixtieth wedding anniversary Sunday. A dinner was given in their honor at the home of their nephew, Walter Knaus, and Mrs. Knaus and daughter, Miss Helen. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. William Wampler, Milton Garrison, of Kansas City, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Yost and daughters, Bernita and Leanne, of LaMonte, Mr. and Mrs. James F. Knight and daughters, Louise, Mary Anna and Alice, and sons, James and Donald, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Olivis and daughter, Margaret, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Wampler and daughters, Charlene and Donne Ann, Mr. and Mrs. John Adcock, Mr. and Mrs. John Knaus and son, George, Mr. and Mrs. William Kinzie and son, Paul.

Mrs. Charles T. Covey entertained her Sunday school class at the Covey service station Friday evening with a wiener roast. The guests play Chinkerchecks and sang songs.

Dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lane Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Richard Thurston, Mrs. Ada House and son, Glyndon and Miss Maude Holloway, the latter of Kansas City.

Milton Kendrick, of Liberty, the week end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Mont Kendrick.

• Houstonia

(By Mrs. Bennie Martin)

Recently a number of the boys and girls of the Sunday school class of the Community church, taught by Miss Christine Vantta, surprised Harold French and Mary Anna Houchen with a birthday party at the home of Harold's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. French.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Houchen were Jim Houchen, of Canada, Mr. and Mrs. Clay Houchen and son, Ralph.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Pummill and family, of near Marshall spent Sunday with relatives here.

The Houstonia Methodist church organized an Epworth League Sunday evening with the following officers elected: Woodrow Davis, president; James Werneke vice president; Ralph Houchen, secretary and treasurer.

The Royal Workers Sunday school class, with invited guests, were entertained at the Methodist church Wednesday evening. Refreshments were served.

The regular monthly fellowship supper held at the Community church Wednesday evening was attended by a very large crowd, each contributing to the repast. The program was in keeping with Valentine day.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Higgins had as Sunday dinner guests, Mr. and Mrs. John Cashman and family and "Copsy" Higgins, of Kansas City. Mr. and Mrs. Will Cashman and Joe Cashman of route one.

Mrs. Ruth Harris Packard, C. M. Gray, of St. Louis, spent Monday night and Tuesday with Mrs. Packard's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Harris, Sr., and Theron Groves formerly of St. Louis, now of Warrensburg, called in the Harris home Tuesday evening. Mr. Groves, an engineer, was here with Mr. Gray as a steel inspector in the building of the new modern grade and high school building now in progress.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Miller and Claude Nutt were Sedalia visitors Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Albert Ramseyer and son, of Sedalia, spent the week end in the Lon Pauley home, east of town.

Mrs. Forrest Reed and children visited relatives near Sedalia Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sadewhite, of Marshall, visited relatives near Sedalia Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cooper entertained at dinner Saturday, Miss Burns, Mr. Kemp of Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Russell, of Kansas City, Herman Renken and Mr. Reed.

Willie Rothrock called on relatives east of Sweet Springs one evening last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Carlin and son, Jack, will move from the Butts property the first of March to La Monte.

Charley Houchen is ill and confined to his bed.

• Bunceton

(By Mrs. Ethelyn Nelson)

Ira Lewis returned to his home at Detroit Sunday after a two weeks' visit with his father, J. F. Lewis.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Burford and son Marvin, of Sedalia, spent Friday with their son and brother, Elmo Burford and family.

Harry Lee Friday and friend, of Camdenton. spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Friday.

James Richey and daughter, Mrs. Alpha Hickerson, spent the week end at Franklin, Mo., called there by the illness and death of Mr. Richey's brother, John Richey.

Mr. and Mrs. George Alexander, of Boonville, spent Sunday afternoon with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Carey and daughter Frances, of Speed, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Sam T. Smith.

Dr. and Mrs. J. B. ....orman, of Tipton, spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Betteridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Jetter spent the week end with relatives at Harrisonville.

Mrs. G. E. Ensley went to Jefferson City Monday to spend the week with Mr. Easley who is employed near there.

Mrs. S. H. Keenan and Mrs. C. F. Stevenson, of Boonville, spent Tuesday afternoon with friends.

Mrs. Mayme Deere and John Spangler spent Sunday in Jefferson City with Mr. and Mrs. Shellie Allison and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Chester and Vivian Daniel and family, of Boonville, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Daniel.

J. F. Lewis who is a patient in St. Joseph hospital in Boonville underwent an operation Wednesday. His daughter, Miss Lucile Lewis is spending several days with him.

Mr. and Mrs. Snoddie Morris and son of Boonville, moved to Bunceton Monday and have rooms at the Bank hotel. Mr. Morris is employed with the Texas Empire Pipe Line Company.

• Syracuse

(By Caroline Schraeder)

Mr. and Mrs. George Sparks of Sedalia visited Sunday with Mrs. Spark's father and brother, Clay Turner and son, Norman.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Miller of Centralia, Mo., spent the week end with relatives and friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Gilmore and little daughter of Marshall visited this week end with Mr. and Mrs. John Hatfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Knipp were Sedalia visitors Saturday.

Miss Bertha May Moon of Sedalia, visited from Friday until Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Decker.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Burns and little daughter, Cynthia, visited Sunday with relatives in Warrensburg.

Miss Paulina Hutchison, who has been ill the last few days at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Hutchison, returned to Boonville where she is attending school.

Mr. and Mrs. Vilhauer were Tipton visitors Saturday.

Harold Birch of Kansas City, visited Sunday and Monday with relatives and friends here.

Cecil Mais of California, Mo., spent the week end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mais and family.

Lewis Allee, of Warrensburg, spent this week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Allee and sons.

Mrs. Raymond Nichols is in the Springfield hospital. Her condition is serious.

• Otterville

(By Mrs. T. R. Cranmer)

Rev. and Mrs. G. A. Snapp attended an all-day meeting of the Glensted missionary society Thursday.

Mrs. John Layne, three sons and her sister, Miss Jennie Austin, of Eldon, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Layne and daughter, Miss Lottie.

Misses Lillian Doris Shults and Gertrude Castle, who are attending C. M. S. T. C., at Warrensburg, spent last week end with their parents.

Mrs. D. B. Mayfield visited Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Bush near Warrensburg.

Charles Edwards, of Kansas City, spent Saturday with his father and sister, T. B. Edwards, and Mrs. Bernice Mills and family.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. McClure were guests of their daughter, Mrs. John Sims and Mr. Sims at Blackwater Saturday night and visited friends at Nelson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Scrivner and daughters, Sarah Alice, Yvonne and Mrs. Dick Harlan, Mr. Harlan and son, Bobby Dale, attended the surprise birthday dinner Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Schlobohm southeast of Smithton.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Cole and son, Frank, spent Sunday with their son and brother, Farrie, Jr., a student at William Jewell college, Liberts, Mo.

Mrs. A. Y. Burford has been confined to her home the past two weeks on account of illness.

Miss Winona Wear, who is teaching at Bunceton, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Wear.

Harry Loeffler, attending school at Missouri Valley college in Marshall, spent the week end in Otterville with Eugene Hall.

Miss Genevieve Repper, of Kansas City, spent friday and Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Repper.

Mr. and Mrs. Hunter P. Cline and young daughter, of Sedalia, spent Sunday with relatives in Otterville.

Miss Margaret Schilb, a teacher at Lookout, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Schilb.

F. L. Cole, L. F. Parker and T. B. Edwards are all confined to their homes on account of illness.

H. D. Case and Leo Smith shipped three trucks of cattle to the St. Louis market the past week.

O. L. Gochenour has purchased the property in the west part of town known as the Elmer Klein place from J. W. Ben Klein and expects to move March 1.

George Maddox, of Clifton City, was visiting his mother, Mrs. Hannah Maddox and sister, Mrs. W. W. Anthony, and Mr. Anthony Wednesday.

David Schilb is quite ill at his home in the north part of Otterville.

The curious duckbill, of Australia and New Zealand, is made up of characters inherited from its reptilian ancestors of millions of years ago. It is unique in being one of the only two egg-laying mammals.

As many of 225,000,000 bacteria may be found in a single pound of soil.

• Versailles

(By Mrs. Birtle Huff)

Mrs. C. M. Barbour returned home Sunday after a week's visit in Clinton at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Beckner.

A "Father and Son" banquet, sponsored by the local Boy Scout organization, was served by the members of the Philathea class in the Sunday school room of the Methodist church Wednesday evening. There were 54 in attendance, including scout officials, fathers, members of the troop and a number of guests who come to sponsor a boy at the banquet.

Houston McKenzie, brother of Mrs. Arlen Deppler, of Versailles, entered the hospital at Boonville Tuesday for an operation for appendicitis.

Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Todd. of Washington, Mo., are the parents of twin daughters born February 7. Mr. Todd is the son of J. B. Todd, local telephone manager. Mr. and Mrs. T. N Todd now have three children

Miss Clara Nussbaumer left Sunday for St. Louis to buy spring merchandise, and returned here Thursday.

Mrs. Neva Taylor returned home Wednesday after a month's visit with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Merchant in St. Louis.

Mrs. O. C. Roark, Mrs. I. N. Wilson, Mrs. F. A. Crawson and Mrs. Florence Monsees attended a group meeting of the officers of the Presbyterial at Tipton Thursday. Mrs. Monsees left after the meeting for Sedalia where she will spend the week end with Mrs. W. A. Boell.

Claud Nichols spent Friday in Pleasant Hill with his mother, Mrs. Ada Nichols who is quite ill. "Hop" Nichols visited over the week end.

Elmer Whittle moved Tuesday to the Douglas Hubbard property, east of the Shryack-Givens wholesale house.

Dr. and Mrs. P. F. Eckhoff were dinner guests Thursday of Dr. and Mrs. K. J. O'Banion at California

Mrs. T. D. Glaze left Wednesday for Columbia to visit her father, J. W. Pennington, until Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Huffman received a letter Tuesday from their son, Joe Huffman, in St. Louis, saying he had been in the hospital to undergo an operation, but has recovered and is able to be out again.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dromgold, of San Francisco, Calif., are spending a few days in Versailles with the former's brother, W. A. Dromgold.

Mr. and Mrs. George Keotting entertained at dinner Thursday, Miss Kathleen Fajen, of Stover. and Miss Hazel Garrison, honoring the birthday of their daughter. Miss Mary Koetting.

Mrs. Eugena Spurlock is confined to her home by illness, and Mrs. P. F. Eckhoff is taking her place in the school room.

Mrs. Sarah Witten, affectionately known to her friends as Mother Witten celebrated her eighty eighth birthday anniversary Thursday, and the W. C. T. U., of which she is a member, met at her home Thursday as has been their custom for a number of years. A one o'clock luncheon was served following a program. she otherwise is in good health, Although "Mother Witten" has been confined to a wheel chair for the last nine years, she still retains her cheerful personal charm; and manages her household efficiently.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bonine Tuesday.

Ann Fuge of Pratt, Kas., arrived Sunday to make an extended visit here with Mrs. Carl Egdorf.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Carver, of Valley Park, St. Louis County, spent the week, from Friday until Thursday, with Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Stroup.

Mr. and Mrs C. W. Thorpe spent Wednesday in Kansas City.

Bill Padgett and Miss Bettie Lamm, of Sedalia, were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Padgett, Sr.

An air wheel 12 inches across to catch the slightest breeze made while the truck is moving, is the newest thing in moving signs for delivery vehicles. The wheel catches the wind and converts it into rotary motion to drive the forward roller.

Too much faith should not be placed in automobile tire patches, since they seldom are as strong as the original material.

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